

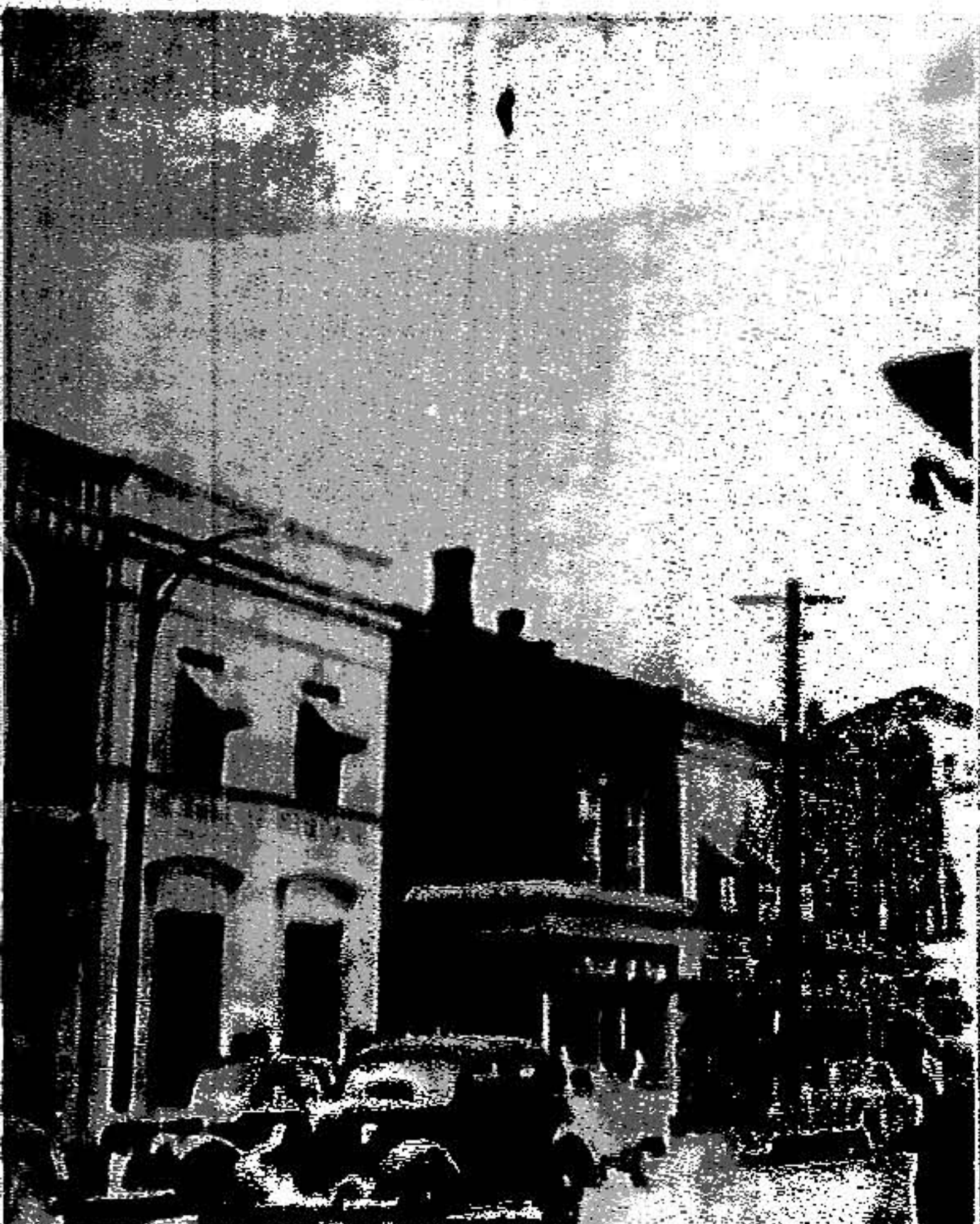
Conrad Lepard Killed In Fall From Tree

Conrad Lepard, Timothy St. Newmarket, died shortly after a fall of 25 feet from a tree he was climbing on Wednesday. The accident occurred late Wednesday afternoon. He was rushed to York County Hospital and died about an hour later.

The 43-year-old man fell when the branch of the tree he was standing on broke under his weight. His body struck the ground and he was taken to the hospital.

With Walter Hall, a neighbor, he had pruned the tree in front of his home and was at work in the tree in front of Mr. Hall's home when the accident happened. Mr. Hall was on the ground, leaning the ropes with which the cut branches were being lowered.

Mr. Lepard came to Newmarket some years ago from Washburn, Me. He is survived by his wife, the former Nellie Brennan, a daughter, Mrs. J. T. Woodward (Mills) of Toronto, two grand-children, his father, Dr. W. Lepard, and a sister, Mrs. Sam Quinn, and brother Arthur of St. George. The body is resting at the funeral home of Roadhouse and Rose. Service will be Saturday at 2:30 p.m. with interment in Newmarket cemetery.



The sign at the top of the television tower carried considerable interest in this week. It is Rick Everett, a TV service man at Newmarket Furniture and Electric. An addition to the main St. Michael's, the tower is over 100 feet high and is typical of the new trend towards the advance of the television age. Everett says tonight the tower has a number one advantage for such a job.

FLOW OR PLOUGH

Mayor Vale Regrets ...

In last week's issue of the Era and Express, we suggested that Mayor Vale enter the Mayors Challenge Cup contest at the International Flowing matches this fall. We have since heard from the Mayor, as follows:

The Editor: I am an avid reader of your paper - even of its editorial column - but were I not, I could hardly have remained ignorant of your editorial "Challenge for the Mayor" in your last issue, because of the comments it has provoked from your readers.

Before, therefore, your suggestion gets out of control, may I point out that I am a lawyer practicing in Newmarket, and not:

1. A farmer.
2. A would-be farmer.
3. One who thinks he is capable of being a farmer.
4. A person who knows anything about a farmer, straight or otherwise.

Under these circumstances, therefore, while I appreciate your anxiety that Newmarket should enter in the flow, I hastily decline your invitation to me as Mayor of Newmarket to compete against Charlotte Whitham, Allan Lampert, or any other Mayor at the forthcoming national ploughing match.

Furthermore, I might add that if I were reasonably sure which end of a plough was which - or whether you spell it plow or plough! - I personally would have long ago ploughed or plowed all the roadways in this vicinity under, as I have not had much success in reaching the Weed Control Authorities into doing so.

Regretting I am not capable of taking up your challenge, I am,

Yours faithfully,
JOSEPH VALE
Mayor



When people are bothered by coughs, Allinson and a three-deck, Wayne Robinson demonstrates how some people want to breathe. Combining the two on the lower, he claims a two-deck ladder to climb a chair with sleep and clean clothes routine.



Shirley Mills, left, and Olga Forsberg were official counters at last night's opening of the trade fair. With a counting instrument, Shirley Mills greets the 1,044th person, a lucky door prize.



One of the attractions at the Newmarket trade fair which is open until Saturday night is this old 1935 Buick. Joan Widdifield and Eugene McCaffrey test the ancient model for comfort. It was driven from Toronto under its own power. Mayor Joseph Vale and R. C. Morrison, chairman of the trade fair, made the official opening last night at eight o'clock.



Much energy went into the preparation of various displays and booths. Here Bob Redhead and Delbert Gibson expend considerable energy in blowing up balloons for a farm implement display.

COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, AUG. 15. Presentation and dance for Mr. and Mrs. Dan and McCallum. King in Jacky Hall, everyone welcome. Tickets, 50c. 6:30 p.m.

WED. THURS. FRI. & SAT. AUG. 13, 14, 15 & 16. Newmarket Summer Show and Trade Fair sponsored by the Newmarket Horticultural Society. 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

THURS. FRI. AND SAT. AUG. 14, 15 & 16. Desperado costume parade free of charge on parade of historical of 1850s in yard in front of Newmarket City Council Chambers.

MONDAY, AUG. 18. King's Men Eastern Newmarket College quartet will sing at the church at the Bazaar at 8 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, AUG. 19. Modern and square dance, also about variety show in the Mount Albert Community hall, commencing 7 p.m. D.S.T. Featuring Spooky Learning and his orchestra. 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 19. Opportunity sale of new and used clothing for adults and children, under auspices of Wilkes Wood-see of Pine Orchard Union church. Also homemade baking, quilts and white elephant table. From 2 to 5 p.m. Afternoon tea service. 6:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 23. North Gwillimbury Sports Day, parade, races, baseball tournament, bingo, dance at North Gwillimbury Memorial Arena. 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, AUG. 24. Chartered bus to Niagara Falls. For tickets and information, phone Cecil Andrews, 515, Newmarket. 6:00 p.m.

elephant sale from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Town Hall, Newmarket. 6:00 p.m.

EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT. Square. Bingo every Saturday. From 8 p.m. in North Gwillimbury Memorial Arena. 6:00 p.m.

DEPT. HIGHWAYS SAYS NO TO PLAN FOR TOWN SIGN

After a long period of persuasion and talk and another period of planning for a billboard highway sign advertising the town of Newmarket on Yonge St., the management left members of council defeated. There can be no highway sign.

On Councilor Charles Boyd's resolution, council recently eliminated funds for a splashy illuminated sign on Yonge St., just south of Eagle, so that all the tourists and travellers would know where the town is and all about it.

A letter from the department of highways ended all hopes this week saying that Yonge St. is now a restricted highway and no advertising signs may be erected within a quarter of a mile of the road except on an owner's place of business. Even the business operator on the roadside may advertise in only four designated colors. Present

Trade Fair Opens With Promise For Record Crowds

The fourth annual Newmarket trade fair was opened at the Memorial arena last night with well over 1,000 people attending in the first two hours of the show.

Mayor Joseph Vale officially opened the four-day fair which has a machine which continues business over 20 merchants and living room chair and table mirrors are arranged to show the reflection of the underspringing.

Everything from drugs and jewelry to outdoor motor boats, tractors and automobiles was on display. At the opening of the fair at eight o'clock, trade fair chairman R. C. Morrison said, "All these products on display have been made in Canada, mostly in Ontario, and a great percentage of them within a 30 mile radius of Newmarket."

He told how the trade fair was started in a small way four years ago. The Horticultural Society, he said, asked a few store-keepers to arrange merchandise display at its annual gladiolus show in the town hall. Enthusiasm over the idea brought a demand for more show space and a larger annual trade fair grew up. It has been held in the arena the past three years and it is improved in the quality of displays every year.

Among the business establishments exhibiting which Mr. Morrison mentioned was Smith's Hardware, the store which has been operating the longest. Smith's was opened in 1918. Some of the eye-catching features include Howard Morton's shiny yellow 1935 Buick with brass fittings standing proudly beside a 1932 model. The '35 model came up from Toronto under its own power.

Tom Birrell and Sons Limited are showing the first new Fordson tractor model to be shown in Canada. The new model was not to be shown for two weeks but the trade fair won an advance showing.

There are more "visual aid" and information about the horticultural society's annual gladiolus show, see page three.

Council Undecided About Costly Project, Suggest Calling Vote

If Newmarket proceeds with a project to modernize its Main St., the street property owners will not pay half of the town's share of the cost on a local improvement basis.

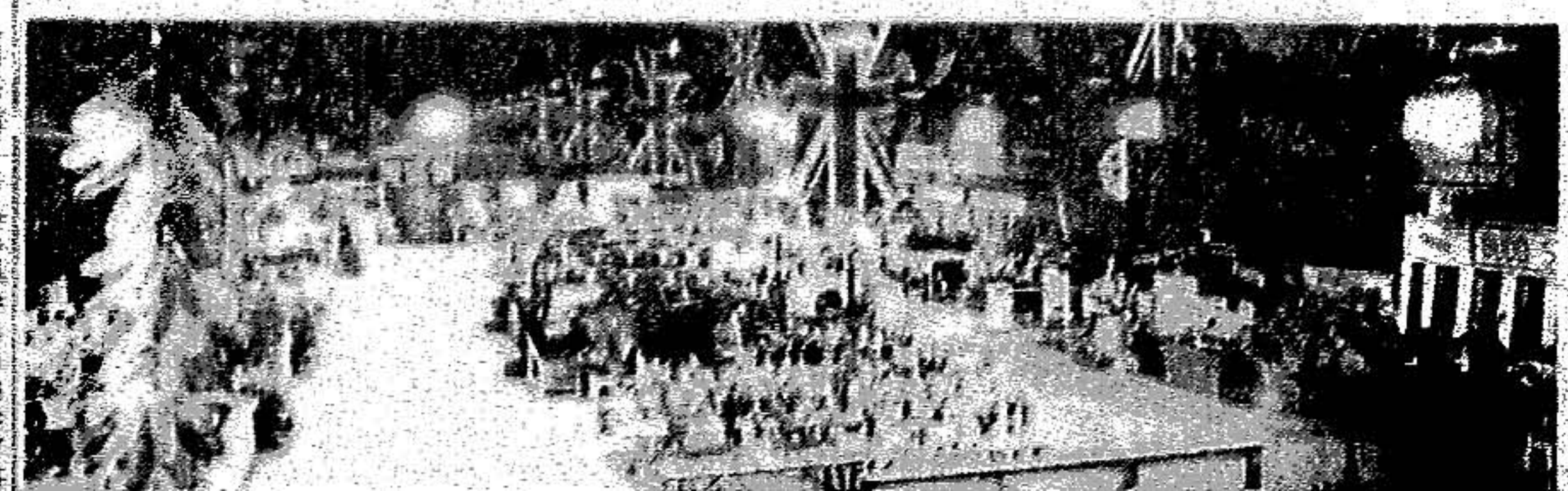
It had been suggested at a 600 previous meeting of council that the project for new pavement, curbs, gutters and services in Main St. be undertaken under a council initiative plan where the property owners share the cost.

Under a joint scheme with the town, county and province paying for the \$250,000 project, Newmarket's share would be \$104,000.

According to new information this week, the provincial grant on the project would be cut in half if property owners were paying half the town's share on a local improvement plan. Members of council decided that it would abandon the initiative plan rather than lose \$25,000 on the department of highways. Page 7, Col. 3



Walt Dyer, left, and Steve Parks were busy yesterday afternoon preparing a weight mechanism in one of the exhibits. The weight is dropped on the chair at regular intervals, showing its resistance to bad treatment. Activity was at a high pitch in the arena yesterday as merchants prepared their booths. Below is a general view of last year's trade fair.



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Wide Choice For Glad Show Competitors

The Newmarket Horticultural society will hold its annual summer show on Saturday, Aug. 16, in conjunction with the fourth annual trade fair. The show will be held under Ted Adam's store, entrance from Cedar St., opposite Rusto's warehouse, and will be open to the public from 2 to 10 p.m.

All members of the society are eligible to enter vegetables or flowers in this summer show. The purchase of a \$1.00 membership ticket may be made on Friday evening when the show is being set up.

Show chairman is Rod Caldwell who with his committee have lined up many new sections

and prizes for the exhibitors. There is a beginners' section which is open to anyone not having won more than two prizes in any past glad show. Classes in this section include 3 spikes, any variety; 2 spikes, any variety; 1 spike, any variety; best bowl glad tips, any foliage; best 6 spikes, 5 varieties; vase miniature glads; best collection glads, any foliage; best spike in beginners' section (Judge's selection).

There are 40 classes in the glad section of the summer show for the regular exhibitors. Other classes open to any member of the society include asters,

all varieties; dahlias, informal and decorative as well as collections; petunias, single and double; Sweet William, collection; phlox, annual and perennial; pansies, rudbeckia, salpiglossis, salvia, scabiosa, snapdragon, verbena, zinnia, larkspur, cosmos, marigolds, calendulas and coleus.

Other sections of interest to flower arrangers include classes for miniature bouquet, corsage, display of cut flowers, annual and perennial; centerpiece of glad tips; display gladioli, any foliage; decorated basket of gladioli, quality and variety to count, any foliage; basket seedlings and 10 spikes, 10 varieties; ten spikes, five varieties.

For school children who have never shown before there is a class in the show, best display of cut flowers, annual and perennial in one or more containers. A second class, open to all school students, is for the best vase of wild flowers, arrangement to count, not over 18 inches high.

In the vegetable section of the Newmarket Horticultural society's summer show there are classes for beans, yellow and green; cucumber, any variety, 3 over 6" long and 3 under 4" long; corn, white and yellow; carrots, cabbage, celery, lettuce, muskmelon, onion, large and pickling; peppers, hot and sweet; potatoes, pumpkin, Hubbard squash, tomatoes, large and dwarf varieties; and vegetable marrow.

The summer show is set up in the exhibition space under Ted Adam's store on Friday evening, Aug. 15. Entries will be received until 10 p.m. on that evening.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Rachel Stephens

Mrs. Rachel Stephens died after a short illness in York County hospital on August 4, 1952, at the advanced age of 92.

During the whole period of her active life Mrs. Stephens devoted herself to the work of her church. She had been organist and soloist in various choirs, a fine Sunday school teacher and an active member of various women's organizations in the church. Her wise counsel was freely given to and much appreciated by younger women who sought her advice.

Daughter of John A. Taylor and Elizabeth Lundy, she was born at Pine Orchard and later married Joseph W. Stephens who predeceased her several years ago.

She leaves to mourn her a son, W. R. Stephens of Newmarket, a grandson, Arthur J. Stephens, Toronto, and two small great-granddaughters, Joan and Judy Stephens, Toronto.

The funeral was from the chapel of Roadhouse & Rose, Newmarket, and was conducted by Rev. Fred Breckon, minister of the Christian Baptist Church.

Mrs. W. R. Stephens

The death occurred at the Private Patient's Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital, on Monday, Aug. 4, of Harriet Wilbur Risenbrough, beloved wife of W. R. Stephens. The funeral took place Thursday, Aug. 7, in Trinity United Church and was in the charge of Rev. E. R. Young, general secretary of The Upper Canada Bible Society, whom the deceased had known since his early youth. He was assisted by Rev. Fred Breckon of the Christian Baptist Church.

The hymns used were favorites of Mrs. Stephens, Unto the Hills and Abide With Me. Mrs. Elizabeth Beer gave a beautiful rendering of the soprano solo "Come Unto Him" from Handel's Messiah. The organist of the church, Norman Hurrell, concluded the service with Chopin's Funeral March.

The pallbearers were Roy and Gordon Risenbrough and Kenneth Campbell, nephews, Donald Moyer, grand nephew and W. S. Jones, and F. I. Hewson, intimate friends of the family.

Mrs. Stephens had a wide range of interests. She was a member of Trinity United Church and at the time of her death, M.S. and a member of the choir. From her earlier years she had been identified with the church. She was a soloist, teacher in the Sunday School, and very interested and active in missionary work.

She was also very active in local public affairs. She was Newmarket's first woman school trustee and president of the local Red Cross for ten years, including the entire period of the Second World War. She was a member of and former president of the Newmarket Reading Club. She had a firmly established reputation in local art circles for her work in oils, and was a past president of the Newmarket Arts Club.

Mrs. Stephens was widely read and had been a member of the Library Board for years, being chairman at the time of her death. While efficient in her outside interests, Mrs. Stephens never neglected her home and was also an enthusiastic gardener, and very fond of flowers.

Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss her son Arthur J. and two little granddaughters, Joan and Judy. She will be greatly missed by a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. F. Howse, Mrs. Ivan Clark and Mr. W. Howse attended the funeral of Mrs. Howse's sister last week, who passed away at Cleveland, Ohio. Our sympathy is extended to these families in their hour of bereavement.

Exhibitors To Place Entries Friday Night

Exhibitors in the summer show of the Newmarket Horticultural society will place their exhibits on Friday evening, August 15. The show is being held under Ted Adam's store, entrance from Cedar St., opposite Rusto's warehouse, on Saturday, Aug. 16, as part of the fourth annual summer show and trade fair.

Entries will be received until 10 p.m. on that evening from any member of the Newmarket society. As this is expected to be a very large show, exhibitors are requested to make their entries as early as possible on that evening. It takes the show committee at least two hours to complete the show following the closing of entries.

New exhibitors may obtain further information from the show chairman, Rod Caldwell, or any member of his committee.

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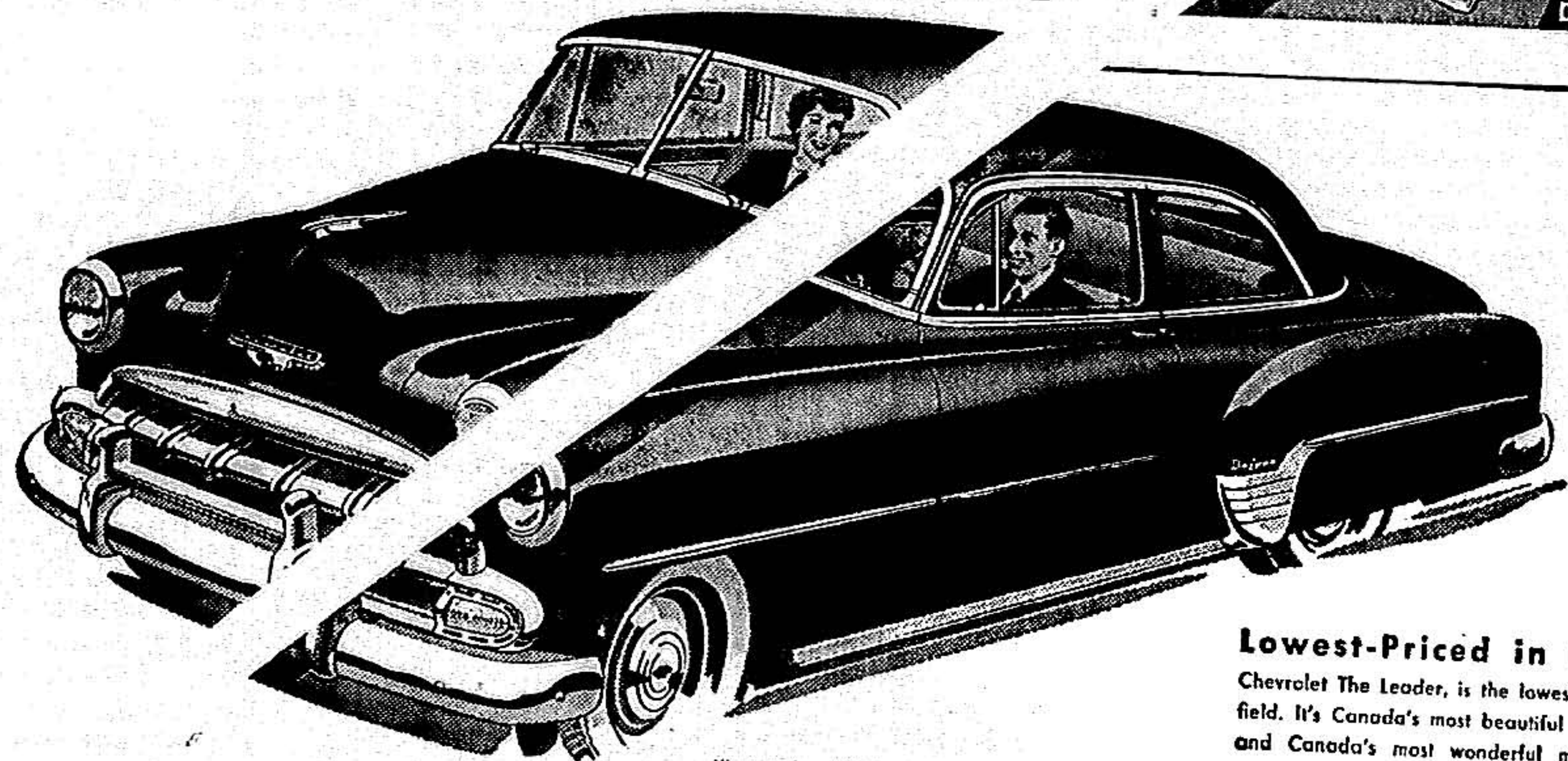
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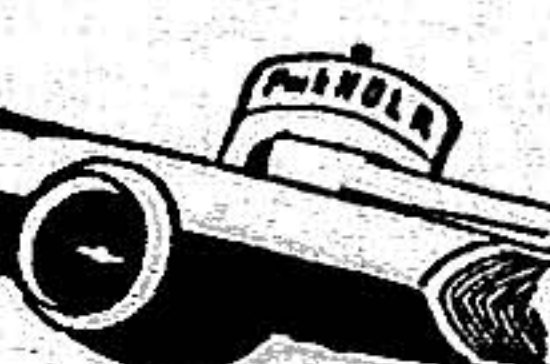
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Pages from the Editor's Notebook

We were driving up the Sec- and late at night a couple of weeks ago when we caught the motion of huge wings off to one side of the road. Seconds later, the huge bird flapped across the road just above the beam of the car lights. It was carrying the remains of a rabbit. The wingspread was three to four feet.

We've no idea of what kind of bird it was although we think it must have been a large owl. In the darkness, we were unable to distinguish any markings. But we would imagine that only an owl would be out hunting at that time of night.

A week or so earlier, we had a telephone call from a Holland Landing man who said that he had been going down the road when he saw a black object hover overhead. It was large enough to make him think of the tales of flying saucers. It could have been the same bird we saw.

Our eldest had a birthday on Friday and was rewarded for his seven years with a toy train, tracks and accessories. We've been having a good deal of fun with it. Geoff has been quite tolerant, although at times he has felt it necessary to point out that it is, after all, his birthday and the train is his present, and that he would like to play with it too, thank you.

The old jokes about dad playing with his son's toys aren't nearly as far-fetched as they might seem to the uninitiated. We don't know why the attraction unless it is, as every mother maintains, that there is a bit of the small boy still in every husband and father. We rather think that a small boy's toys are a reminder of an earlier age when everything was possible and life not nearly so complicated as it is now.

Those were the days when Indiana rode on every skyline and were pursued by hard-riding cow-pokes with snapping six-guns, and Casey Jones was at throttle old Ninety-Nine roared from under the bed, circled around the dresser, and came to a satisfying wreck on a mountain-curve

From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

AUGUST 12, 1927

The Sutton horse show was a wonderful success with over 400 horses on exhibition and a record of 84 horses entered in one class. Competition was keen in all classes and the racing entries were well filled for each race. A large showing of cattle, sheep, swine, vegetables, flowers and fancy work added greatly to the exhibition.

A number of Newmarket Orangemen are going to Oshawa today to attend a gathering of the Black Preceptor.

So little interest in our fall fair may result in it dropping out of the picture after 68 years of existence. It seems too bad that it should become an ancient history after promoting agriculture in so many forms in this district for so many years.

Tenders were submitted last week for the construction of a bridge over the west branch of the Holland Landing River at Holland Landing. The specifications call for a span of 50 feet and a width of 18 feet. The county engineer, Frank Barber, estimated the cost of the bridge, which will be built of reinforced concrete, to amount to \$40,000, but several tenders offered were considerably below that sum.

Mr. C. L. Wilson, Eagle St., has put a new roof on his garage and a new cement floor inside.

Mr. Arthur Brice, Andrew St., is building a new garage which, being on a side hill, can also be used as a tool house.

Thousands of dead carp have been blown ashore on the eastern shore of Lake Simcoe, from Jackson's Point to Beaverton. It is not known exactly what caused their destruction, but the fish were noticed after a thunder storm Monday afternoon.

built around a pillow.

We went browsing around the countryside with the family on Sunday between rainstorms. It was lovely with the freshness that follows a rain. South of Newmarket, on a little used side road, we came upon a pair of pheasants who, with the insolence of complete security, took their own sweet time about quitting the road. Farther along, we scared up the biggest jack-rabbit we've seen in these parts.

With all this wild-life, we were wondering what happened to the herd of deer reported down that way some months ago. We didn't see the deer but we stopped to admire some mares with their colts at Hissey's farm. They were huddled from the rain under the trees along the roadside. Lovely animals.

We know a pair of pheasants and a big jack are hardly rare for a side road jaunt but for all of that, we were excited to see them so casually.

Speaking of wild-life, we wonder if it would be possible to locate a sea monster on the loose for duty in Fairy Lake. The setting would be perfect. Can you imagine the effect of beast rising through the green scum which now covers the pond's surface. What a tourist draw it would be. And perfect for the spectators. At night, the pond could be illuminated.

We've not heard anything further about the sea monster supposed to have been seen off Georgina Island a couple of weekends ago. Wonder if we will, now that the Sutton horse-show is over. Can't beat a monster to draw the crowds.

The summer seems to have gone by in a hurry. The black currant bushes are turning and there's a golden glint in the leaves of the walnuts. Could have sworn we saw lone duck southward bound over the weekend and the golden rod is yellowing. Birds seem to be gathering in flocks and if there was any doubt after this recital, we had some corn on the cob and that, definitely, is the first sign of autumn.

AUGUST 15, 1902

The circus attracted large crowds to Newmarket last Friday. Between two and three thousand people attended the afternoon performance and nearly as many in the evening.

Official Specialty has taken on several more men lately. They now employ over 100 people.

The residences of Mr. J. H. Davey, Mr. Arch Thompson and Mrs. Kennedy all look quite freshened by new coats of paint.

In Stouffville a traction engine used for grading the side of the street fell through a drain while getting water from a hydrant. Only slight damage was done to the engine.

Passengers on the train going to Jackson's Point last Friday had quite an experience before reaching their destination. As the train was pulling out of Zephyr station a cylinder blew out, causing a lengthy stop for repair. Again at Baldwin something went wrong and caused another delay. The train finally reached Jackson's Point at 10 p.m. with tired, hungry passengers aboard.

It is now ten years since Newmarket erected three excellent steel bridges and during this period they have not had a single coat of paint. As a result of the neglect large scales of rust are forming and dropping off. It is hoped that the public works department will attend to these bridges immediately in order to prevent further deterioration.

On the evening of Coronation day the town band rendered appropriate and greatly appreciated patriotic selections. The program took place on Main St. and the business people united in offering a ten dollar contribution to the band. At the conclusion of the program Mr. Harry Noller furnished the musicians with refreshments.

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THURSDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-TWO

TROUBLE AHEAD

Toronto township taxpayers are in arms over a heavy increase in their tax-bills. In Markham township, there has been a continuing dispute in council, reflected among the taxpayers, over the administration of township laws. Not long ago, Richmond Hill was talking secession from the county and currently, a committee in the Lake Wilcox area is studying the possibilities of incorporating a separate village.

At the root of these disputes and dissatisfaction is the phenomenal growth of the municipalities about Toronto. In some instances, the administrations were simply not geared to handle the large influx of new residents. In other instances, uncontrolled growth in the immediate post-war period has left a legacy of school, sanitation, roads and police costs. Too much money has had to be spent to provide the facilities for this expansion in too short a time and booming tax rates have sorely disillusioned those who thought living in the suburbs would be cheaper than living in the city.

We don't think there will be any slowing of this expansion. There are too many factors to encourage it: the movement of industry away from the city, the shortage of city housing, improvements in roads to the city, and finally, the congestion within the city itself. So far, the bulk of this growth has been around the immediate boundaries of the city but there are unmistakable signs that it is moving farther out. It will not be long before Newmarket and district will be experiencing its immediate effect.

What can be done to prevent the difficulties which have arisen in the municipalities closer to Toronto? One policy which must be followed is to no longer postpone those undertakings which are required for the maintenance of the town's physical facilities. There is a temptation to postpone such work in an effort to maintain a lower tax-rate. But for all the postponements of the past, the tax-rate has not been lowered. The plain fact is that postponements are now too expensive to be permitted, even on such excellent grounds as economy. With rising costs, depreciation, and more extensive facilities required as the town grows, what is saved today by postponement, is spent twice over tomorrow.

As important too is that Newmarket's present and future councils have a clear idea of the direction in which the town will expand and what will be required of that expansion, and that a continuing effort is made to provide those needs for the future. Newmarket's recent growth has been governed more by expediency than by future considerations. Newmarket should have a master plan which will provide for the most economical growth and what is done now should be an implementation of that plan.

Unless Newmarket makes surer preparations for expansion now, it will be overwhelmed as municipalities nearer Toronto are being overwhelmed with jumping costs, overloaded facilities, and the tax losses which inevitably follow poor use of land.

THE SOUND APPROACH

There has been a good deal of talk about the need for industry in Newmarket, and a good deal of complaint as well because so far, there have been no results from Newmarket's recent efforts to attract industry. Councillor Charles Boyd, chairman of the industrial committee, is currently assembling all the facts he can about Newmarket which would be of interest to a prospective industry. This painstaking approach is more time-consuming and less glamorous than some boosters like but it pays off with more solid results.

The Financial Post, commenting on the approach to new industry by the city of Sherbrooke, which has had a comprehensive survey made of its industrial, commercial, social and cultural aspects, has this to say:

"In the rough-and-tumble scramble of Canadian municipalities to attract new industries, far too often civic boosters are ready to talk about special tax concessions and other forms of high pressure, but neglect or are unable to provide prospects with the really fundamental information required for an intelligent decision.

"This can be unfortunate for both parties. A misfit industry is liable to become a liability to its owners and to the community. On the other hand, a firm which is persuaded to establish itself on the basis of sound economic considerations will grow. And the community grows with it."

CHEAP MILK COSTLY

The milk cow population in Canada has reached its lowest level since 1918 when the human population was around eight million. In the last decade, milk

cow population has declined 20 percent while the human population has increased nearly 22 percent. Government estimates are that the milk cow population had risen until 1945 and then had begun to drop and in 1951, the census established there were actually only 2.9 million cows on Canadian farms.

Since 1918, Canadian agriculture has made considerable progress in the increase in yield from cows but certainly not enough to compensate for the drop in cow population. The loss of foreign markets for dairy products in recent years, and the heavy demand for beef have been two other factors which have helped decrease dairy herds. But the over-riding cause has been cheap milk to the consumer at the expense of the producer.

A comparison of average product prices in the United States and Canada shows: milk per quart in Canada, 20.9 cents, U.S., 28.6 cents; butter per pound in Canada, 64.4 cents, U.S., 82 cents; cheese per pound in Canada, 58.6 cents, U.S., 60.2 cents. In the differences between those figures is found the biggest reason why the cow population is decreasing. But if the consumer has the benefit of these comparisons, it is a short-range benefit. Eventually, this low milk price is going to rebound in the form of much higher prices.

The 1951 consumption of milk per capita in Canada was 1,080 pounds of whole milk equivalent. To maintain this level of milk consumption, nearly half a billion more pounds of milk will be required. The hoof and mouth disease embargo has halted shipments of animals to the south, and the low beef price has slowed marketing of cows, but these are temporary factors. Within a short time, either Canadians are going to consume less dairy products or they are going to pay a much higher price, possibly even an import price.

There is no reason to expect farmers to continue to produce a product at what is an insufficient return, not in this day when an expanding domestic market permits a change into more lucrative production. That fact should be remembered when the milk contracts are up for renewal this fall.

DOWN TO FACTS

We heard a news cast on Sunday night which attributed the spread of hoof and mouth disease in England to migratory birds bringing the disease from the Balkans where it is quite general. We've not heard what was the cause of the outbreak in Saskatchewan beyond the fact that the New Canadian who was believed to be the carrier turned out to be innocent.

But if the birds were really the cause, and it seems reasonable enough, we wonder how the English or anyone else can hope to avoid another outbreak. Immigrants and freight cars can be disinfected but we doubt if the customs people could ever be really sure that they checked each bird that came across the border. In short, there just isn't a 100 percent sure way of preventing an outbreak of the disease as long as it exists in some part of the world.

We wonder then why so little attention to making animals immune to it. It can be done, as was proven by Sir Albert Howard in India many years ago.

EDITORIAL NOTES

A resident of Main St. asks us if the council is aware that Main St. continues north of the fire-hall hill and that along the way, there are several places of business. He maintains that whenever there is talk of improvement to the street it is always in terms of "Main St. south from Millard Ave." We have to admit he has a point. Attention to Main St. has always seemed directed towards the south end.

Of course, it should be pointed out that the south end of Main St. requires more attention than the north end. That's where the congestion is. And everything which has been done of late to Main St. has been aimed at easing that congestion. But still and all, Main St. does extend beyond the hill and it is time we all began thinking of it that way.

A resident at the corner of Niagara and Ontario Sts. suggests with some force that the corner should have a safety guard around it. The north-west corner is well below the level of the road. The resident's fears that some day a car might go over the bank and end up on her front porch came true the other day when a car did just that. Damage was \$500 or so and was simply luck that no one was hurt.

With the number of people in this area who work in Toronto, we wonder why the C.N.R. doesn't initiate a commuters' train. Such a service would have quite an influence upon the growth in this area.

Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

Slim Bliggins and I were worried last week about a certain news item getting local theatre personnel and ourselves into trouble.

An item in our paper told about the theatre management planning to put monkeys in the lobby during the playing of "The Greatest Show On Earth", a circus story.

"So the Greatest Show On Earth will hit town with a cage-full of extras which Hollywood had left out," the item concluded. A bold and presumptuous conclusion, we feared.

Justification for our worries was borne out the other day when a sticky letter from Hollywood producer Cecil B. DeMented arrived.

Writes DeMented: "We appreciate the publicity given to our picture by your paper but we are a little concerned about possible inferences.

"Your paper stated that the picture will hit your town with a cageful of extras which Hollywood had left out. It is our fervent hope that the meaning was to do with monkeys themselves, alone. But while the item was being reviewed by one of our 23 lawyers, the point was brought up that there could be an inference that Hollywood employees, extras even, are on the same level as that of the lowly monkey.

"We hope that there will be no trouble about this but we will promptly notify you if there is a legal decision which might cause adversity between your organization and ours. It is up to our lawyers."

We have the boss biting his nails.

Slim was furious.

"Lowly monkey!" Slim snorted. "There's monkeys who could do better than some of DeMented's so-called Hollywood stars."

"Shush," I said. "I had a friend who ran a monkey show in carnivals," Slim said. "Queer sort. He liked monkeys better'n people."

"That so?" I said. "Sure. He said they were much better sorts to work with. Could always depend on 'em. This here fellow was not an ordinary carnival type. He had a purpose."

"Yeah. He was out to improve the lot of the monkey in carnivals in America and to bring dignity to the showing of animals."

"People who have a purpose behind what they are doing are always considered to be heads and shoulders above people who do something without purpose behind it," I said.

"Yeah, it gives to what the is doing, meaning," said Slim. "That's right, meaning."

"I wonder what the boss would do about this letter from Cecil B. DeMented," I said.

"Aw, they's nothing to worry about," Slim was sure. "There's too much to prove to make worthwhile bringing 's against us."

"I think these monkeys are very good for this show. They will give the added atmosphere of the circus," I said.

"Yas. You couldn't get no better atmosphere than with monkeys, especially summertime," said Slim.

"But maybe these monkeys are Lux-monkeys," I said.

"Well now, they may be," said Slim.

by "Dairy Farmer" The Top Six Inches

We had a letter from the Crop Improvement Association concerning the suggested prices for fall wheat seed. In our humble opinion, the Crop Improvement Association has done more to improve farming and spread information in this part of the country than any other medium yet devised. It is an organization which is a perfect example of co-operation between government services and the farmers' own organization. One only has to attend the annual meeting and the seed fair to see that this is true.

In this instance, however, we cannot agree with the Association's suggested price. The worst customer that a farmer has for his own produce is the other farmer. We all get up and demand better prices, better marketing facilities, marketing agencies, etc. We point with great righteousness to the danger of the farmers' earning power decreasing, and the high cost of living and production. Then we turn around and refuse to pay anything like reasonable prices for the means of production we have to buy from another farmer.

Take this case of wheat now. Suggested price by the Crop Improvement Association for Commercial No. 1 wheat is \$2.40 f.o.b. shipping point, treated and bags supplied. That means the farmer has to clean his wheat, which means trucking it back and forth from a seed cleaning mill. He will have to pay for the cleaning, the treating, the bags, pay the cost of inspection and advertising. All this amounts conservatively to about 50 cents a bushel. In other words he will get \$1.90 per bushel for his wheat.

But this isn't the whole story. If one had 10 bushels of wheat out of the threshing machine or combine, one can sell 10 bu. to the mill. But if one takes 10 bushels to the seed cleaner, one doesn't get back 10 bushels of seed. Granted some of the screenings will make feed, but some will

be a total loss. We think at the suggested price, it is not more than 10 cents differential between grain and wheat produced, or a 5.5% difference. The answer is simple. It isn't worth it. By the same wheat for another month the experience of last few years has taught that we will get about \$1.50 in the middle of September about \$2.15-\$2.25 in December and about \$2.33 later in winter.

Nor is the man producing seed in any position at the suggested price of \$2.75 per bushel under same conditions. If a farmer has a field of registered seed and stores it in an elevator, there is a very good chance that by February he can storage charges and get money for selling that than if he went through a necessary steps and produced bag of registered and wheat seed.

You can say this is a question of supply and demand, that's the price, well, it is. This is a free country nobody is telling us what that is true all right. But our Association should encourage this type of thing. It should point out the good seed and the producing it and point out the benefit derived from this type of seed is worth more than the suggested price. Some fellows would cut it. But by and large, men would realize the man producing this type of seed has to have adequate for it.

The same is true in the case of the Ontario bull sale average price receive bulls and the commercial then prevailing didn't enough difference to pay the fitting of the animal if the breeder had sold it that most of those bulls had on the cheese mar alone on the fluid milk would have had more long run. Which all prove our point, namely we are our own worst enemies.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By STAN



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News Of The W.I.

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

The Queensville branch will meet on Wednesday, Aug. 20, at Mrs. J. L. Smith's cottage on Lake Simcoe. Motto: "I am but one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something." Roll call: "My favorite home remedy."

Program: health, in charge of Mrs. Rowe. Hostesses, all members provide.

Those wishing transportation please phone Mrs. F. Weddel or Mrs. R. Chapman. Cars will be leaving at 1 p.m. from the village.

Union Street branch met at the home of Mrs. Titus Peregrine on Thursday evening. There were 20 members present and several visitors. Mrs. Perry opened the meeting with the Institute ode and the Mary Stewart collect. The roll call, "My favorite hobby," was well answered.

Mrs. E. Burgess gave a suitable reply to the motto, "Get your fun out of your work or you will never know what fun is."

The program was put on by the Girls Club with Miss Betty Beckett as convener. Miss Marie Burgess sang a solo, "He's the flower of my heart." Miss Lorna Miller gave a recitation, "Rustic Courtship"; Miss Betty Rose a piano solo, "Hawaiian Love Song"; Miss B. Beckett gave two humorous readings, "Snoring Husband" and "Cold Feet"; Miss Jean Rose read "Confession of a Lunk Head"; Miss Patsy Leach sang two solos, "Hi-Lo we go to the fair"

Several games of bingo were played. Winners were Mrs. Micks, Marie Burgess, Mrs. W. Hall and Mrs. W. Beckett. Miss Betty Rose showed Canadian scenes from the viewmaster.

We appreciated the efforts and talents of these girls and thank them for an excellent program which was much enjoyed. The meeting closed with the National Anthem, followed by a dainty lunch served by the south group.

Sharon branch held their August meeting at Mrs. Ward's home with 25 present. Roll call: "A famous woman I have always admired," was well answered. Moved by Mrs. Weddel, seconded by Mrs. Pinder that secretary write for entry form as three members of our branch are trying the "Five ways to improve the C.N.E." competition. Mrs. Osler and Mrs. Kitley showed a sample of curtain material for platform of Sharon Hall. Mrs. S. Osborne, Mrs. E. Evans, Mrs. K. Weddel, Mrs. H. Boyd are the committee appointed for planning the program at Mount Albert Sept. 11.

Several violin and piano duets were given by Denise and Myles Tunney. Mrs. Proctor, teacher of Sharon school, gave a short talk on Home and School. Mrs. Osler replied and we are hoping to organize a Home and School in the fall.

Instead of current events that Mrs. Osborne was to have given, she gave events as far back as 1802. This was very interesting and informative. After refreshments, meeting closed with God Save Our Queen.

Pine Orchard branch will hold their grandmothers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross Armistage on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 20, at 2:30 o'clock. Roll call, name of minister performing marriage ceremony and place.

Q'ville Woman Celebrates Century

Mrs. Eliza Jane Ralston celebrates her 100th birthday tomorrow. The Queensville resident, known to her many friends as "Aunt Jane", will be receiving a host of congratulations from the district in which she is well known.

Born in County Tyrone, Ireland, she was the daughter of Hugh Gibney and Catherine Campbell. She came to Canada with her parents at the age of 13. They settled at Holt which was not much more than a trail through the bush.

She worked in Toronto at the tailoring business. In 1879 she married Robert Ralston of Montreal. They lived in Hamilton for 12 years and from there went to Montreal where her husband died in 1898.

She went back to Ireland for a visit in 1902. In 1904 she went out to the United Church Indian school at Morley, Alta., and from there to the Indian school at Red Deer, Alta. She was at these two schools for a number of years.

She went to Alberta College as house mother for a few years, and from there to Lamont Hospital, just out of Edmonton, as matron.

She came back to Ontario in 1929 to retire because her hearing was failing. She lived for a number of years with a nephew, John Hopkins, of Ravenshoe and Keswick. This last while, she has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alleyne of Queensville.

Two years ago she fell and broke her hip and was in York County hospital for some time. She has recovered, and gets around remarkably well. She can read and sew without the aid of glasses.

She has a wonderful memory, and is a great visitor. She takes a great interest in present day events. She will be receiving Aug. 15 from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

RED CROSS GIVES OLD FOLKS PICNIC

On Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 12, the Newmarket Red Cross held a successful picnic at Cedar Beach park, Musselman's Lake, for the inmates of York County Industrial Home.

The Red Cross are grateful to Mr. Larry Needler of the Newmarket Bus Co. for providing one bus free, and to Mr. Geo. Davies of Cedar Beach park for providing tea, ice cream and candy.

Many took part in the games and everyone enjoyed the bountiful supper. All felt it was an afternoon well spent.



The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

WOMEN SPEAK

In the not too distant past, the voice — even the combined — voice of women was a negligible quality. There were exceptions of course, when highly placed individual women, good or bad, spoke with authority and were listened to.

But in the main, before the vote and the forming of women's organizations, their voice had only influence on those with whom they had close contact and that, only if they were women with force of character.

Now women vote, and even if they sometimes kill their husband's vote, as Archie and I have found when we consulted after voting, still they have expressed their idea of who they think will be the right man in the right place.

It is a wonder to me that the long years that women, perforce, kept their ideas within small compass, did not atrophy that part of the brain that busies itself with affairs outside home and community.

Instead of that when the imprisoning bars of custom were removed, women's ideas and ideals came forth with a freshness and vigor that was astounding.

Long silent tongues were loosed and made eloquent by the desire to better the lot of women, to raise their status in home, community and world, and now, no woman need be ignorant of that world or voiceless in protest against wrongs and cruelties.

I said "no women." I should have said "no women this side of the iron curtain, for it is a sad truth that their voices inside are again hushed."

Something of all this came to me when I sat listening, a guest of the Sharon Women's Institute, on Wednesday of last week.

The Institute motto, For Home and Country, seemed to be illus-

trated in their discussions, for Mrs. Bill Proctor of Newmarket and Mrs. Olsen of Sharon spoke of the organization in Sharon, of a Home and School association — the bringing together for their mutual benefit of parents and teachers; then they discussed, at the request of their president, Mrs. Ramsay, the advisability of entering the C.N.E. contest on five different ways of bettering the exhibition. This exhibition, being what it is, their ideas if prize winners would be talked about all over Canada and even if a prize was not won the very thinking, the sifting of ideas, would be a benefit.

Then Mrs. Stanley Osborne read a chapter from a very interesting book of the coming of the Quakers to Yonge Street and eventually to Sharon, and of David Willson's breaking from them to found "The Children of Peace", and to build Sharon Temple.

It seems so right to know the factors that have gone into the building of our communities. Their influence is still with us, and acts upon, even if indirectly, the life of the community in which they once flourished.

One of the reasons for my being at this meeting was because I had been asked to sing or play. Owing to my long illness I was not able to do either and like the true friends they are, Hilda Tumelty, Denise and Myles Tunney consented to do, a thousand times better, what I could not do at this time.

I have said, at different times, a great deal about these two am-

Pen Inmates Write Tribute To McCulley

The following tribute to Mr. Joseph McCulley, former headmaster of Pickering College and more recently deputy commissioner of penitentiaries, appeared as an open letter in Tele-Scope, the magazine published by the men in Kingston Penitentiary. Mr. McCulley left his federal post recently to become warden of Hart House at the University of Toronto.

The Editor

"It is with sincere regrets that the news of your 'having finished your bit' is received here at K.P. In most cases, it is our wish that a man leave the penitentiary atmosphere and environment as soon as possible. However, in your case it has been our wish that you would stay on the job for many, many years. The University of Toronto will find that the loss sustained by penitentiary inmates is the students' great gain."

"Officials of the Penitentiaries Branch have come and gone in past years—without regret or notice on our part. It may be that you have been a different sort of person than was the case with your predecessors. Or it may be that through your efforts and understanding we the inmates have developed a new and different conception of Penitentiary Branch officers. You have, no doubt, helped to instil in us a more social point of view."

"Just as the topic of conversation at K.P. today is your resignation, so, in 1947, was your appointment as deputy commissioner. Most of us who at that time discussed the matter and speculated as to the sort of guy you are, were pessimistic. It was the general consensus here that your appointment was merely another political plum. Even the more optimistic among us felt that you were an idealist whose ideals would soon shatter with the impact, against the walls surrounding Canadian penitentiaries."

"We did find that you were an idealist as well as an optimist. However, we soon discovered that you were also a realist with the ability to apply your ideals to the problems at hand. In the face of the cynicism with which many of us have met your new ideas, your attitude was one of understanding. Our regret today that you are leaving the job is in itself, the best proof that you have succeeded to a large degree in changing our attitude."

"Many changes have taken place in penitentiary life in the past years. The very approach to the inmate and his problems has undergone a basic reorientation. We know that, under the leadership of the commissioner, you have played a decisive role in bringing into being the new deal in Canadian penology."

"We feel that it is indeed a compliment to your achievement that to most of us you were not, formally, the deputy commissioner, to most of us you were Joe McCulley. You will be remembered by those of us who knew you, as our friend. You sat in the bleachers with us

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azing children, but it is only right that their townsfolk should know just what they have in their midst. Just now their teachers are restricting their playing, but it will not be long before not only Newmarket, but the wider world outside it, will recognize the genius that is theirs. Myles played two solos; one with his aunt Hilda and one alone. In their duet Hilda stood behind the small performer and yet their bows moved as one, and if anyone thinks this is easy for a beginner, he had better think again. Both children have perfect pitch, which is a boon to a musician—and to the audience.

Denise played a suite for piano and beautifully. It showed her

mastery of technique and interpretation, which is always a source of wonderment. After the program we enjoyed a cup of tea with its accompaniment of tempting delicacies, and then Mr. Elgin Evans came for us and we went from the home of our hostess, Mrs. Haines, to see Mrs. Evans' rose garden.

What exquisite color and perfume has the rose. One stands before its beauty awed and feels that God must have said especially of it, that it was good. And so, the afternoon over — home.

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JACKET-HEATER and water-tank in good condition. Cheap for quick sale. Phone Aurora 612w. c3w32

4 USED lawnmowers; 100 used school desks; 3 used washbasins; and other miscellaneous plumbing supplies. May be seen at the Alexander Mule School. Contact Mrs. S. Curtis, Newmarket Property Chairman. *1w33

6-PIECE breakfast suite. Cheap. Phone 236, Newmarket. *1w33

GOOD Weber piano. Apply Otto Barker, Queensville, phone 101, between 6 and 7 p.m. *2w32

HYDRAULIC hoist, nearly new, 10,000 lb. capacity. Apply G. Billing, 52 Timothy St. W., phone 78w, Newmarket. *2w32

DRAPERY custom made, slip covers, bedspreads, venetian blinds. Material, Kirsch tracks. Pin on hooks, lining, weights, tapes, etc. For information or appointment, call Richard Senecal, 104 Main St., phone 117. Free estimates, no obligation. t127

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UPRIGHT Gerrard Heintzman piano, in good condition. Mrs. LeCuyer, phone 50w, Queensville. *1w33

SMALL coal furnace, suitable for cottage, in good condition. Phone 971j, Newmarket. *1w33

ELECTRIC range, in good condition. Phone 433, or apply 65 Gorham St., Newmarket. *1w33

LLOYD baby carriage, grey, oil springs, in good condition. Reasonable. Phone 310w22, Newmarket. c1w33

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C.C.M. bicycle, man's, good condition. 39 Millard Ave., phone 80j, Newmarket. *1w33

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MATERNITY dresses. 2 latest style dresses for the expectant mother. These dresses are not inferior hand-me-downs, but excellent fashions. (Genuine Mcallister label from U.S.A.), in the quality material. 1 black crepe with sheer neckyoke and 1 rust color corduroy with fashionable elastic waistband. Original cost \$25. Will sell for \$10. Phone 1230w, Newmarket. c1w33

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ARTICLES FOR SALE

STEAM table, 4 pots, 2 trays, plate rack, all metal, electric sandwich grill, brand new; soap dispensers; 2 paper towel holders; 2 cheese slicers. Bargain for quick sale. F. Hirst, phone Queensville 2-1116. c1w33

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DYER'S FURNITURE

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TRI-LIGHT lamp with shade. Apply 9 Lydia St., Newmarket. c1w33

GREEN and Brown Beatty electric washing machine, new motor, 60 cycle. Good buy if interested. Phone 290 Newmarket. Bill Insley. Price \$35, or best offer. Real good condition. c1w33

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SMALL house dog. Must be good with children. L. E. Ewart, phone 1027j, Newmarket. *1w33

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ALL kinds of masonry. Phone 2210j, Queensville, or apply Ianuziello and Sons, bricklayers, Miami Beach, Keswick. c1w33

MARRIED man desires work as truck driver, willing to go anywhere. Edgar Heitner, 8 Crescent Rd., Newmarket. c1w33

CAPABLE High School girls, Grade 10 and up, as sales girls for the opening day of School, Tuesday, Sept. 2. Apply Campbell's Bookstore, Newmarket. c1w33

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WANT your radio repaired in a hurry and guaranteed? Phone Newmarket 1232. t127

Are you thinking of tiling your kitchen or bathroom floor? If so, please call 1232, Newmarket, for free estimates for rubber, plastic, marble, jasper and other materials. R. J. Rundle and Son, 100 Andrew St., Newmarket. t127

UPHOLSTERING Chesterfield suites, occasional chairs, rebuilt, recovered in any fabric. Apply Ken Sargent, 85 Gorham St., or phone 382, Newmarket. t127

WE are now equipped to install large septic tanks for restricted areas. For prices and information call Murray Baker, phone 651, Eagle St., Newmarket. t127

HELP WANTED

GIRL. Must be over 25 years of age. Apply Dyer's Furniture, 161 Main St., Newmarket. c1w33

PICKERING College student desires laundry done weekly commencing new school term in September. Write Mrs. D. C. McKeller, 31 Lascelles Blvd., Toronto. c1w33

YOUNG MAN TO LEARN PRINTING TRADE

MUST be steady and industrious. High school education or better. Only those interested in making printing their trade apply. Write Era and Express box 179 stating name, age, education and previous employment if any. t123

BABY sitter, over 21 years; to stay with boy age 4, occasionally. Some late hours. Good rate. References. Phone 1102w, Newmarket. *1w33

EXPERIENCED mechanic for furnace repairs and installations. Some knowledge of oil burners preferred but not essential, good wages and steady work for capable man. Phone Aurora, 352w. p.m. c1w33

GIRL, or elderly lady to look after 2 children. Live in. Weekends off if preferred. Mrs. F. Calver, 1111, Newmarket, phone 2973j, Newmarket, after 5:30 p.m. c2w33

BABY-SITTER. Must be qualified. Very large family. Applicant should be competent in the art of "Jude" wrestling. Must be a good shot with anything that may be laying around. Full insurance. Must positively love children. Family may be seen at the Royal Theatre, Aurora. c1w33

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CAPABLE man to manage established Watkins business in Newmarket. Regular income above average. No experience or investment necessary. Permanent with chances for advancement. Write immediately to The J. L. Watkins Company, 650 St. Roch St., Montreal. Attention: Mr. P. Granger. c5w27

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1940 CHEVROLET coach, in good condition, \$425. Phone 276w, or apply 15 Court St., Newmarket. *1w33

1939 CHEVROLET. Apply 15 Queen St. E., phone 961w, Newmarket. c1w33

1951 RED, Mercury convertible, small mileage, beautiful condition. Never had a dent or scratch. Enquire Texaco Station, Keswick. t129

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13 FOOT truck body. Phone Aurora 459w. *1w33

1948 3-TON Ford chassis and cab, 176 inch wheel base, 825 tires. Phone King 685. c1w33

1939 G.M.C. panel truck, in good condition. Apply 64 Macchiello Ave., or phone 637w, Aurora. c1w33

1941 3-TON army truck, good tires. Reasonable. Lorne Baker, Newmarket, phone 112. c2w33

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M.H. Clipper combine with motor, late model, guaranteed, \$1,395. t127

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TWO heavy tractors, just the thing for threshing, \$250 each. shape, \$650 up. t128

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FARM MACHINERY

MARVEL, grain thresher, combine with hopper and pipes. New. Price \$157. Mount Forest 24" thresher, with grain thresher. Apply T. B. Brown, Case Dealer, Vancourt, phone 815j, Aurora. *1w33

27 FARM ITEMS

CALL, Ontario Rendering company for dead, disabled animals. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sanitary removal. Special weekend and holiday service. Call collect Newmarket 900, or Aurora 212, for fast service call direct Toronto 110ward 6182. t124

28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

14 CHICKS, Apply Roy Edwards, 1101, phone 3115, Mount Albert. c1w33

10 PIGS, seven weeks old. Apply Frank Stephenson, Holland Landing. c1w33

26 WEANED pigs, 8 weeks old, free of disease. Apply Fred Walker, Zephyr, phone 680j, Mount Albert. c1w33

4 YEAR-OLD mare, would make good riding horse. Apply Wm. McGill, Queensville. *2w33

12 WEANED Yorkshire pigs, 10 weeks old. 1 Holstein heifer, due Sept. 2. Apply Ramsay Weddell, Hellenburg. c2w33

10 WEANING pigs, 7 weeks old. G. A. MacPherson, phone Mount Albert 7513. c2w33

10 CHICKS, Sow, due in 2 weeks. Apply Arthur Kydd, Zephyr. *2w33

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Horses for milk feed. Highest prices paid. Rex Smith, Queensville, phone 1912 collect. t127

Horses for milk. Will call for horse. Good cash prices paid. Frank Coleman, phone 1089j, Newmarket, or write P.O. box 25. t127

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

172 ROCK and Red pullets, laying 35 percent now. Apply Jack Evans, Mount Albert. c1w33

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All kinds of live poultry wanted. Will pay above market price at your door. Phone 657, Newmarket. t127

Live poultry. Any quantity. Bring them in or call on request. Highest prices paid. W. S. Appleton, Oak Ridge, or phone King 91r14. t127

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SPRINGER Spaniel, liver and white, well bred, 8 months old. Price \$25, worth \$50. Phone 263w13, Newmarket. c1w33

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POMERANIAN, named Sandy, between Oak Ridge and Aurora. Reward. Phone Hudson 2549. c1w33

MISCELLANEOUS

CANARIES, Roller and Border Fancy Singers \$8. Baby Birdies \$8. Cages and supplies. African Violets 86 colors, 50c each. Mrs. Wm. Agar, Beeton, phone 81. *1w33

FOR SALE OR RENT Hospital beds, wheel and invalid chairs. Theaker and Son, Mount Albert, 353j. t127

All forms of rheumatic tablets for muscular, arthritic, neuritic and sciatic pains. Price \$1.00. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t127

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"THE BEST" BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP

For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds. 75 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. t124

We repair all makes of sewing machines. New machines \$89.50 up. Singer Sewing Center, Newmarket, 138 Main St., phone 1075. t127

Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery for those who suffer from varicose veins, nicks and knee trouble. Arch supports, Lumbago belts. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t127

COME in and compare. We will not knowingly be undersold by any competitor anywhere. You are the Judge. Dyer's Furniture phone 1250, Newmarket. t127

WATCH for grand opening of Bargain Shop, Aurora, operated by the North York Humane Society. t125

MERCHANDISE

MADONNA lily bulbs, also Iris roots, J. W. Broughton, 31 Lydia St., phone 1049j, Newmarket. c2w33

AT INSLEY'S, Men's black sanforized denim bib overalls, sizes 38, 38, 40. Regular \$4.75. Sale price 2 pairs \$6.00. Yes, it's value! c3w31

FREE SACKET SPECIALS IN AVON POWDER pack, after shave lotion, cream hair lotion. Mrs. Arthur Sheridan, 59 Andrew St., phone 1392, Newmarket. c2w33

SALE REGISTER

SATURDAY, AUG. 16—Auction sale at the Stouffville Livestock Sales Arena, selling livestock our specialty. Fresh cows, springers, heifers, sheep, calves, pigs and horses. Pick-up and delivery can be arranged. This is your community sale. Come early and bring something to sell. You bring it and we'll sell it. Sale every Saturday, at 1 p.m. Make this your market where buyers and sellers meet. Sellers and Atkinson, auctioneers. t145

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 20—Auction sale of farm implements, etc., including 2 tractors, combine, power drill (fertilizer, nearly new); M.H. weed sprayer; 3 furrow L.H.C. plow, used one season; etc., the property of Les Zimmerman, at lot 28, con. 6, Markham, 4 miles north of Unionville. No reserve, farm sold. Terms cash. Sale 1:30 p.m. Lloyd Turner, clerk. Sellers and Atkinson, auctioneers. c2w32

SATURDAY, AUG. 23—Auction sale of household furniture etc., also store equipment and some groceries, the property of Ross J. O'Brien, at Baldwin, 2 miles south of Sutton. Time 2 p.m. Terms cash. Ted

BIRTHS

BOYD—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Boyd, Oak Ridge, a daughter.

CULLY—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 7, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cully, Toronto, a daughter.

FIRTH—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 11, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Firth, R.R. 1, King, a daughter.

GILKES—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilkes, Newmarket, a daughter.

HARMAN—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 7, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harman, Holland Landing, a daughter, Marilyn Constance.

JOHNSON—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Aug. 12, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, R.R. 2, Aurora, a daughter.

JONES—At York County hospital, Saturday, Aug. 9, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones, Markham, a son.

MILLER—At Private Patients Pavilion, Toronto General hospital, Toronto, Tuesday, Aug. 5, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Miller, Toronto, a son.

PEARCE—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pearce, R.R. 3, King, a son.

PRESTON—At York County hospital, Sunday, Aug. 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Preston, R.R. 1, Gormley, a son.

SMART—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 7, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smart, Lake Wilcox, a son.

SYKES—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Aug. 12, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sykes, Richvale, twins, son and daughter, (daughter died later).

THOMPSON—At York County hospital, Thursday, Aug. 7, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson, Holt, a son.

VANDEN BERGH—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 11, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanden Bergh, Newmarket, a daughter.

YASANKO—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. John Yasanko, Bradford, a daughter.

DEATHS

LEPARD—Suddenly at Newmarket, on Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1952, Conrad H. Lepard, husband of Nellie Ireland, father of Mrs. J. T. Woodward (Mildred), Toronto, son of D. W. Lepard and the late Emily Jane Weller, brother of Mrs. Sam Quast (Nora), Cecil Arthur Lepard, St. George, residing at the Chapel of Goodhouse and Rose. Service on Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

TOMLINSON—At Newmarket, Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1952, William Ross Tomlinson, husband of Lena McMullen, father of Lloyd and Carl, Toronto; Ben, Bert and Bill, Keswick; George, Canbyton; Herbert, Sutton West; Bruce, Hanover, Germany. Burial at the chapel of Goodhouse and Rose until Friday at 11 a.m. Service at the Free Methodist church at 2:30 p.m. Interment Queensville cemetery.

WAITES—At her home, Victoria St., Aurora, on Tuesday, Aug. 12, 1952, Francis Ann Waites, wife of the late William George Waites, and mother of Gertrude (Mrs. Leigh) and Alice (Mrs. Patterson) Toronto, Hazel and Fred, Aurora, in her 80th year. Funeral service was held in Aurora this afternoon, August 14. Interment Aurora cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

CHADWICK—In ever loving memory of Harry Chadwick, who passed away Aug. 12, 1951. Memorials are the lamp. That light the darkest road; To the beautiful hope of reunion when, We meet at the end of the road. Mother

CHADWICK—In ever loving memory of Harry Chadwick, who passed away, Aug. 12, 1951. We cannot clasp your hand, Your face we cannot see; But let this little token, Tell that we still remember thee. Rose, Bob and Bobby

HILL—In loving memory of my precious husband, Alex Hill, who went to be with his Lord in love, Aug. 11, 1948. Death doth hide, but not divide.

Thou art but on Christ's other side; Thou art with Christ and Christ with me. In Christ united still are we. Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by wife Pearl.

RIDDELL—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother who passed away Aug. 5, 1946. Days of sadness still come o'er us. Tears of silence often flow; For memory keeps you ever near us. Though you died six years ago, Lovingly remembered by daughter, Daisy, son-in-law, Malcolm, and grandchildren, of Myrtle Station.

SQUIRES—In loving memory of a dear wife, Ida Squires, who passed away, Aug. 12, 1949. She is gone but not forgotten. And dawns another year. In our lonely hours of thinking, Thoughts of her are always dear. Days of sadness will come o'er us. Friends may think the wound is healed. But they little know the sorrow That lies within our hearts. Lovingly remembered by husband, Ross, daughter Jean and sister Laura.

THOMPSON—In loving memory of my dear husband, Frederick Garfield Thompson, who passed away Aug. 13, 1950. He suffered patiently and long. His hope was bright, his faith was strong; The peace of Jesus filled his heart. And in His arms he sank to rest. Lovingly remembered by wife Arlene.

THOMPSON—In loving memory of a dear father, Frederick Garfield Thompson, who passed away Aug. 15, 1950. Two years have gone by. We think of you yet, But the memories of Dad, We'll never forget. Sadly missed by daughter, Freda, son-in-law, Vernon, granddaughter, Leanne.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Webster, Toronto, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Wilda Bernice Helen, to Mr. John Charles Barnes, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles Barnes, Montreal. The marriage will take place on Saturday, Sept. 6, at St. George's United church, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, Queensville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Greta Marie, to Mr. Robert Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee, Newmarket. The marriage will take place on Saturday, Sept. 13, at 4 o'clock in the United church, Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marten Wassink, Kettleby, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Diana, to Mr. Raymond Kenneth Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rogers, Kettleby. The marriage will take place Sept. 6, 4 o'clock, in Kettleby United church.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson, Eileen and Donald, wish to express to their many friends their sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness during their recent sad bereavement.

KING

Church Notes
In the United church charge, Laskey congregation will dispense with services on Sunday, Aug. 17 and 24; King City services will be held on both dates at 10 a.m. with Mr. Gordon Tetley preaching. Teston will be closed on Aug. 17 and Mr. Tetley will preach on Aug. 24 at 11.15 a.m.

Eversley, Strange and Ninth Line Presbyterian churches will re-open for regular services on Sunday, Aug. 24, when Rev. D. C. Wetherpoon will have returned from vacation.

The Baptist congregations of King, Kettleby and Pottogeville will withhold services on Aug. 17 and 24, during holiday absence of the pastor, Rev. W. E. Smalley.

Laskey W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hunter on Aug. 6, when Miss Marjorie McMurchy gave a book review, entitled "The Healing Woods," by Martha Reden. She also gave a piano instrumental and convened the program. Mrs. Marvin Hunter and Miss Helen Hunter sang a duet.

Semi-final playoff league softball game, King City vs Schomberg, drew 500 people here last

How's It Work

"The older I get in municipal affairs, the more I am convinced that if ratepayers were left to decide... issues... there would be far less taxation," says Mayor Joseph Vale. Just what council's responsibility is and how far it should go to commit the taxpayer to spend his money was one of the questions in a serious policy discussion started in council Monday night over possible large expenditures in the near future. Some agreed with the mayor. Others said council should make all decisions alone, that it was elected to take all the responsibility. The mayor wondered if that were true democracy.

COUNCIL UNDECIDED

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There was talk in council of letting the electors decide whether money should be spent on the Main St. project. Council was divided on whether it should go ahead with the plan or call for a vote now or seek an answer in a vote during December elections.

A meeting is to be held tonight to decide on what course will be taken.

Councillor Lorne Paynter urged that council go ahead and plan the project and pay for it out of general taxes.

"Suppose council votes in favor of the project. Do we seek municipal board approval and go ahead with the scheme?" asked Mayor Vale.

Councillor Boyd said that it should be taken to a vote of the people.

"We wouldn't have time to give council our approval this year if we took it to a vote in December," said the mayor.

"I think it should be put to a vote before December," said Mr. Boyd. "There is a lot of talk about high taxes in Newmarket and taxes will be high next year even if we do not start this project."

"Putting it to a vote is just shirking the job; it's taking the easy way out," said Reeve Arthur Evans who urged council to approve of the project now.

"We are elected to make decisions," said Mr. Paynter.

"We could put a lot of things to a vote of the electors," the Reeve continued. "Then we wouldn't need a town council."

BAND CONCERT

Newmarket Citizens' Band will give a concert Sunday night at 7:30 in the Lions Park. Bandmaster William Grieg will conduct the band.

Friday night, Schomberg won 7-4. It was one of the best attended games ever held at King and gate receipts were over \$75. Keith Kyle of Maple came from Kettleby at Bala to play for K. C. club.

Rev. D. C. H. Mitchell has returned from holiday month on the west coast where he visited his father, Mr. D. S. Mitchell, M.A., of British Columbia, and his two sisters at Oakland, California. Weather was very hot and dry in B.C. with cool nights. California weather was very hot.

Visitors of the Ferguson families are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ferguson of Woodville and his brother, Angus, of London, Ont. They are brothers of Norman Ferguson, and uncles of Mrs. Fred Curtis, Mrs. Chas. Gordon and Watson Ferguson of Eversley. On Sunday, Mrs. Curtis held a family gathering at her 4th line home. On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ferguson motored to Midland for a day's outing.

Miss Linda Hossie, Dunnville, is spending a vacation with her aunt, Miss Maud Crossley. The little girl is enjoying her village playmates here.

Mrs. M. R. Jenkinson will visit at Niagara Falls while her husband, Rev. Martin Jenkinson, is lecturing at a summer camp.

New Station Master
Voryl Gambrill, son of Frank Gambrill, King, is the new station master of the C.N.R. at Richmond Hill and with his wife and children, Paul and Carol, is settled there. Voryl came from Trout Creek, near North Bay, where he had been agent for five years. His wife's people, the Reesor family, live at Stouffville.

The fire whistle has been returned to the company from which it was loaned. It failed to operate off an air pressure tank at King City Motors, and at \$250 was too costly.

Speedsters Will Be Clocked
King township council has purchased speed traps which will be operated throughout the municipality by township constables, Moody and Davis. Residents and commissioners of King City made strong appeals to council since last November to have speed traps set up.

A majority of votes means more than half, while a plurality is more votes than any other candidate received, but less than half the total.

English sailors are called "limeys" because of the extensive use of lime juice as a scurvy preventative.

A color-blind person usually can see better in the dark than a person with normal eyesight.

Responsibility? - Vale

Newmarket council's indecision about a new Main St. construction program produced several questions Monday night: Should the ratepayers decide on such a program? Should council take the responsibility itself on such a spending? Just what is council's responsibility and how far should it go to commit the taxpayer to spend his money over the future years?

"Personally I am opposed to the program but I think it is because it will raise my own taxes," said Mayor Vale. "At the same time I am trying to be far sighted and do what is best for the future."

"The older I get in municipal affairs, the more I am convinced that if ratepayers were left to decide on these issues themselves, there would be far less taxation."

The mayor said that council was elected to do business and that councillors are interested in the welfare of the whole. They vote on certain issues after they have acquired a detailed knowledge on the subject, with information at hand that the taxpayer does not have.

"I am arriving at a definite opinion that in practice, if we had to take these decisions to the people, to ask for a vote, taxes would not be as high," said Mr. Vale.

"The higher level of government, federal and provincial, are deciding what is good for the people and making them pay for it and in a small way, we are doing the same thing. In a way it is a system of government bureaucracy." Maybe we would be getting back to the true democracy if we sought decisions from the people more often," said the mayor.

He said he had given considerable thought to such aspects of local government recently. Recent problems in suburban areas where taxpayers tried to oppose high spending on construction of schools without success had impressed the mayor. "Such bodies as school boards and councils work for what they believe to be the best interests," he said, "but they are deciding how much the taxpayer will spend without asking the taxpayer. Sometimes the taxpayer is the forgotten man when these burdens are imposed upon him."

Lorne Paynter said he was still in favor of council taking the initiative as was Reeve Evans. "A lot of townspeople say they are paying for work which should have been done years ago. We are elected to make these decisions. I am not in favor of putting issues to a vote during council's terms of office. The people can make the choice on election day."

"But often the damage is done by election day," replied the mayor.

"Suppose we submit this plan to the electors and they turned it down. Our faces would be red," said Mr. Dales. He referred to past persuasion put forth to county council to start the Main St. program.

"Mr. Evans has said that the taxpayers would probably vote for it and that we might as well decide in favor of the project ourselves but is three months' waiting going to make any difference?" asked Mr. Dales, suggesting that a vote be taken on election day.

"That's what we are going to find out before Thursday's meeting," said the mayor.

Tree Grown From Pit Has Two-Basket Yield

Two six-quart baskets of peaches were harvested this week from a tree planted, not from nursery stock, but from a pit. The tree stands about 12 feet in height and has flourished since its planting.

Only six or seven years ago, Mrs. Bert Gilkes, 3 Gorham St., planted a pit from a peach in her garden. Planting it on the north side of the house, she was warned by husband and friends that it would never grow or at best never reach maturity.

Last year the crop consisted of one peach. It was delicious. This season, the peach tree was watched anxiously to see if there would be any increase in the harvest. On Tuesday evening, when Mr. Gilkes decided to investigate, much to everyone's amazement the peaches were ripe. There were enough to fill two six-quart baskets. All the neighbors can vouch for the juicy, sweetness of the fruit.

TO REOPEN FLOOR AT YORK HOSPITAL ON SEPTEMBER 1

York County hospital will re-open the ground floor for patients on September 1. The decision was made to close the floor when it was found that the board would be unable to provide nurses to replace those on vacation during August.

There were 20 beds on the ground floor.

The hospital serves an area of 600 square miles and has currently a staff of 29 nurses, considered below its needs. With vacation time ahead, the board was faced with the need of temporary help but because of the nursing shortage and the preference for the convenience and higher wages of city hospitals, the board was unable to find enough help and so decided to close the hospital floor.

SOAP BOX DERBY ON MAIN ST. AUG. 27

The Newmarket Legion is holding its annual soap box derby on Main St. hill on Wednesday, Aug. 27, at 7 p.m. Winner of the derby will receive \$15 prize money and a chance to match his soap-box against the winner of the Akron derby, U.S. championship contest.

The derby is open to all boys and girls up to 13 years. Rules and other information are contained in an advertisement appearing in this issue.

AWARDED CERTIFICATE

Harry Beer, assistant headmaster at Pickering College was awarded a first class certificate in the advanced section of McGill University's French summer school.

CAR JUMPS CORNER

Last Friday night, a car jumped the bank at the corner of Ontario and Niagara Sts. and did \$500 damage to the front of a house owned by Jack Duncan and the home of Mrs. Helen Waldruff.

WESTERN HARVEST TRIP

Applications will be accepted for the western harvest excursion from farm boys in this district this year. Apply at the Newmarket Employment Office on Main St.

SEE POSSIBILITY SEPARATE VILLAGE IN RIDGES AREA

A committee of ratepayers of Lake Wilcox and Oak Ridges are studying an application for the incorporation of the area as a separate village. This would mean that the village would secede from the township of Whitchurch. The application, if agreeable to the ratepayers, will be forwarded to the Ontario Municipal Board for action.

A similar application was turned down by the board three years ago.

If the application is approved, it would mean the incorporation of a village of a square mile in area with a population of around 2,500.

President of the Oak Ridges-Lake Wilcox Ratepayers' Association, William Hope, said that while the ratepayers have every confidence in the Whitchurch township council, "we believe we can handle our own administration and get more for our tax dollar."

SNEAK THIEF ROBS COTTAGE OF \$160

A sneak thief robbed a cottage of \$160 near Sutton Friday night. Nearly 40 summer cottages, from Atherley to Cook Bay, have been robbed, police reported, so far this season.

While Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Shanahan and their two daughters, who were visiting from Chicago, sat on their front verandah, the thief entered the bedroom window and removed \$160 from four wallets.

The thief opened a jewel box but took nothing.

Sr. Girls Defeat Mount

Mount Albert, unbeaten this season in junior ranks, were visitors here Thursday for a go at our senior ladies. The Mounties lost 5-3 but proved conclusively their high rating isn't just hearsay. Mount outlived the locals 5-3. It was errors that measured the Mounties for the short end.

Newmarket scored single runs in the first and second, both tainted by errors, and bobbles figured prominently in the locals' three-run fourth frame which wrapped up the game.

Mount runs on the other hand were earned, Ida Bertolin and Reta Longhurst paired second innings singles for their first run. June Wagg homered in the fifth and Kay Peters, up from the Keswick club, performed a similar feat in the sixth.

Sarah Baradoll was Coach VanZant's pitching nominee. Gladys Rolling went along with her, Marguerite Green, Arva Thorns, Jeanne MacDonald and Sarah Baradoll drove out the Newmarket hits. Kay Peters paced Mount with two safeties and it was one each for Ida Bertolin, Reta Longhurst and June Wagg.

Servicemen Win First

Just when everybody was shaking their heads and saying the Civil Service crew of the Aurora Town League wouldn't win a game all year, what happened? You guessed it. The Servicemen carried loaded batteries to the plate last Thursday to blast the league-leading Ditch Diggers 20-14 in an Aurora Town League slugfest marathon. Trailing 8-0 in the second, the

HOW THEY STAND

BARRIE & DISTRICT LADIES	W	L	T	Pts
Barrie	13	2	1	27
Midland	11	4	1	23
Newmarket	11	5	0	22
Stayner	4	12	0	8
R.C.A.F.	0	16	0	0

AURORA TOWN LEAGUE	W	L	T	Pts
Queen City Stor.	8	2	0	18
Ditch Diggers	7	3	0	14
DeLaHaye Rock.	3	6	0	6
Civil Service	1	8	0	2

N. Y. MIDGET BASEBALL (Round-Robin Play-Offs)	W	L	T	Pts
Newmarket	1	0	2	4
Aurora	1	1	2	4
Richmond Hill	1	2	0	2

SOUTH SIMCOE (Semi-Finals)	W	L	T	Pts
Newmarket	1	0	0	2
Everett M.L.	0	1	0	0

TOWN LEAGUE STANDING (Aug. 12, 1952)	W	L	T	Pts
Specialty	12	3	0	24
Hoffman	8	4	2	18
Thompson-Bell	6	8	1	13
Sports-Cycle	1	12	1	3

BATTING RACE	AB	H	%
B. Townsley (Hoff)	28	13	46.4
M. Smith (T-B)	44	19	43.2
D. Burch (Spec)	47	19	40.4
N. Ash (Spts)	25	10	40.0
H. Gibney (Spts)	29	11	37.9
T. Mosier (Spec)	54	18	33.3
B. Cook (Spec)	54	18	33.3
D. Smith (T-B)	27	9	33.3
J. McTavish (T-B)	42	13	31.0
J. Hugo (Spec)	34	10	29.4
W. VanZant (Hoff)	46	13	28.3
F. Dillman (Hoff)	43	12	27.9

Tennis Teams Tie

Newmarket and Mount Albert battled to a 4 all tie last Wednesday in Mount Albert in a North York Tennis League match. The share of the points enabled Mount Albert to retain their hold on first place in the league race. Results with Newmarket players named first were: ladies doubles: Joan Peppiatt and Joyce Bothwell defeated Kay Hastings and Nora Woods, 4-6, 6-0, 6-2; Marg Davis and Audrey Rowland were defeated by Madeline Rennie and Marg Green, 4-6, 2-6.

Men's doubles: Jack Peppiatt and Keith Davis defeated Seaman Wood and Frank Dampf, 6-0, 5-6, 6-1; Joe VandenBergh and Ken Peeters were defeated by Bun Willis and Bruce Gould, 5-6, 6-0.

Mixed doubles: Joan Peppiatt and Keith Davis defeated Nora Woods and Seaman Woods, 6-3; Joyce Bothwell and Jack Peppiatt defeated Kay Hastings and Frank Dampf, 6-3; Marg Davis and Ken Peeters were defeated by Madeline Rennie and Bruce Gould, 3-6, 6-5; Audrey Rowland and Joe VandenBergh were defeated by Marg Green and Bun Willis, 6-0.

'Keswick Day' Aug. 23

Ring Aug. 23 on your calendar. It's a date to remember. Keswick and North Gwillimbury sportsmen plan to present their second annual Sports Day on that date. The committee in charge is hard at work at present and indications point to a bigger and better day, surpassing even last year's crowd-pleasing event.

One main attraction will be the softball tournament. Prizes offered are \$40, \$20 and \$10. Ken Hodgins, in charge of this, is working to line up six of the eight teams of the Lake Simcoe softball league for the tournament. Those teams would be Mount Albert, Keswick, Zephyr, Queensville, Pine Orchard-Vandorf, Willow Beach-Belhaven.

"We're asking each team to bring along its regular line-up, no ringers, please," reports Mr. Hodgins. "In the event any of the above teams are unable to make the grade, we hope to secure a team from the Newmarket town league."

The six-team set-up should provide a full day of softball action for the fans. Mr. Hodgins is also hoping to add a little variety to the program by having Newmarket's senior ladies meet the Lake Simcoe junior ladies' softball league all-stars in an exhibition contest. The softball tournament, if the diamond can be readied in time, will be staged on the new sports field diamond back of the North Gwillimbury Memorial Arena. Softball show will get underway at 1:30 p.m.

league door mat Servicemen slammed back for four runs and opened the door ajar for a victory with a six-run battering ram in the third. That gave the Servicemen the lead and they stayed top side from there on.

Although all the Servicemen wore their hitting shoes it was newcomer Jack Greenslade and old hands Chuck Southwood and Bill Hammond who tagged Mickey Sutton's pitches for the necessary bingles to give Charlie Simpson the pitching win. Harold Stephenson came out of a hitting slump to pace the Ditch Diggers' hitting with Howard Timbers and Tracy Barrager in hot pursuit.

Civil Service: C. Sutton, W. Hammond, R. Brown, R. Craig, W. White, D. Beamish, J. Greenslade, C. Southwood, A. Coates, C. Simpson.

Ditch Diggers: H. Stephenson, T. Barrager, B. Turan, E. MacDonald, K. Wright, H. Timbers, S. Sutton, C. Timbers, M. Sutton, W. Mundell, J. Woods.

Redmen Take Everett Twice

Newmarket Redmen advanced to the finals in the South Simcoe baseball league by dumping Everett Maple Leafs 6-3 in Everett Wednesday. The victory gave the Redmen the best of three semi-final series in two straight. Redmen now have to topple Alliston Legion to claim the league's south division title.

Ken Broughton's four-hit, shut-out pitching job in relief was the big factor in Wednesday's win. The Redmen jumped off with a three-run first frame on three Everett errors. Alvie McKnight's walk and singles by Don Gibson and Cliff Gunn.

Everett came right back to fire a three-run salvo in the second against Redmen starter Ivan Gibson. That got Ivan Gibson off the hill and Ken Broughton went to work to put the damper on the Everett rally and from there on, shut off further scoring damage with his near four-hit pitching. Jerry Hugo bashed a start-off double in the fifth, Wilf Elsy and Jim Cook singled in turn and the Redmen put across the two winning runs there and then. The Redmen added an insurance marker on Herb Cain's double to lead in the seventh.

Everett's veteran finger Sharkey Jenkins was tagged for ten hits. Jim Cook with three and Don Gibson two, getting in the Redmen's best blicks. Both teams committed four errors on the bumpy field and it was a boot that brought about Ivan Gibson's stroll to the showers.

REDMEN BLANK EVERETT

Whizzing a third strike by 13 batters and pitching skillful five-furling ball, Orloff Thoms paced Newmarket Redmen to a 5-0 win over Everett Maple Leafs at the fair grounds Friday. It was the initial game of a best of three South Simcoe baseball league semi-final series.

A win at Everett will give the Redmen the series in two straight and a crack at the league championship against either Alliston or Beeton. Alliston scored a 4-0 triumph in their first test with Beeton. An Everett come-back will force a third game here Friday evening.

REDMEN START FINALS

It'll be Newmarket Redmen and Alliston Legion in the South Simcoe baseball league finals. Present arrangements are to have the series opener in Alliston Tuesday, Aug. 19. Second and third games in the best of five final series have been tentatively set for the fair grounds Friday, Aug. 22, and Tuesday, Aug. 26.

Fourth game of the series, if needed, will be aired at Alliston, fifth game at the fair grounds. Redmen dropped Everett in two straight to gain the final round. Alliston took Beeton to the cleaners in similar fashion, claiming 3-0 and 7-3 decisions in their best of three semi-final set.

The Redmen took the field a determined band. They refused to be lulled by veteran Sharkey Jenkins' best pitches and made sweet nine base-hit music. The first pair of bingles, singles by Bill Grant and Don Gibson, paid off for a run in the start-off frame. That run, as events turned out, could have won it. Wilf Elsy's two-run single in the seventh capped the run-scoring after the Redmen counted single tallies in the third and sixth.

Lead batters Alvie McKnight and Bill Grant poked out three hits apiece to furnish two-thirds of the Redmen's plate power. Don Gibson, Wilf Elsy and Herb Cain got the other Redmen safeties. Redmen didn't commit an error afield and hustled returns got the pellet into Wilf Elsy at the plate to thwart Everett's stabs to break the goose-egg jinx.

To illustrate the sharp fielding, Don Gibson rushed in to retrieve the apple and tag out Sharkey Jenkins after the latter had been lifted for a loop by catcher Elsy.

Pitchers aren't supposed to be hitters, but you couldn't prove it from Friday's fixture. Sharkey Jenkins, the visitors' hurler, nailed Thoms for three of the five hits he allowed.

Newmarket Wins 6-2

Keith Davis and his Newmarket racquet wielding set completed a king size tennis week with a 6-2 win over Richmond Hill at the local courts Friday. Results with Newmarket players named first were: ladies doubles: Joan Peppiatt and Joyce Bothwell defeated Alverna Smith and Bonny Cook, 4-6, 6-2, 6-5; Mary Dales and Audrey Rowland defeated Judy Wren and Joyce Wilde 6-1, 5-6, 6-1.

Men's doubles: Keith Davis and Bob Yates defeated Paul Morley and Harry Hill, 6-1, 6-2; Chas. Lee and Jack Peppiatt were defeated by Terry McCauley and Keith Teetzel, 6-0, 4-6, 5-6.

Mixed doubles: Joan Peppiatt and Keith Davis defeated Alverna Smith and Paul Morley, 6-2; Joyce Bothwell and Bob Yates defeated Bonny Cook and Harry Hill, 6-2; Mary Dales and Chas. Lee were defeated by Joyce Wilde and Terry McCauley, 4-6; Audrey Rowland and Jack Peppiatt defeated Judy Wren and Keith Teetzel, 6-3.

SPORTS CALENDAR

Aug. 14, 7 p.m., fair grounds, North York bantam baseball league play-off, Aurora vs Newmarket; 7 p.m., Aurora park, town league, Rockets vs Civil Service.

Aug. 15, 7 p.m., fair grounds, South Simcoe baseball, play-offs, Alliston or Everett vs Newmarket Redmen; 7:30 p.m., Lake Simcoe softball league, semi-finals, Mount Albert vs Keswick (third game).

Aug. 16, 3 p.m., P.W.S.U. play-downs, Newmarket vs Whitby or Bowmanville.

Aug. 18, 7 p.m., Aurora park, North York bantam baseball league, play-off, Newmarket vs Aurora; 8:30 p.m., Aurora arena, professional wrestling card; 7:30 p.m., Lake Simcoe softball league, semi-finals, Pine Orchard or Willow Beach vs Zephyr.

Aug. 19, 7 p.m., Aurora park, town league, Ditch Diggers vs Rockets; 7 p.m., North York bantam baseball league, finals, Aurora at Richmond Hill; 7:30 p.m., Lake Simcoe softball league semi-finals, (4th game if necessary) Keswick at Mount Albert.

Start On New Field

Keswick softball teams, senior men, junior men and ladies, are likely to complete their 1952 seasons on the new diamond being readied back of the North Gwillimbury Memorial Arena. Work of levelling the ground for the new diamond was started last week.

The work is progressing satisfactorily and it is expected to be ready for use for the softball tournament being staged in connection with Keswick's section and annual sports days, Aug. 23. "The new diamond is being built about 200 yards north of the arena on part of a five-acre tract of land purchased some time ago by the North Gwillimbury township council for a sports field and recreation area."

The move to the new site is being made, necessary by the pending addition to the Keswick public school where the present softball diamond is already cramped and would be wiped out completely by the addition to the school.

Bantams Play Off

Richmond Hill, Aurora and Newmarket start a round-robin series for the North York bantam baseball league title this week. Richmond Hill dropped Sutton in two straight, Aurora tripped Mount Albert in a sudden-death fixture and Newmarket drew a bye into the playoff round.

Games in the series are scheduled as follows: Aug. 14, Aurora at Newmarket; Aug. 18, Newmarket at Aurora; Aug. 19, Newmarket at Richmond Hill; Aug. 21, Richmond Hill at Newmarket; Aug. 25, Richmond Hill at Aurora; Aug. 26, Newmarket at Richmond Hill. All games must start at 7 p.m. sharp with home team to provide plate umpire, visiting team base umpire.

Team finishing on top at the end of the series will be league champions. In the event of a first place tie two teams will meet in a home and home series for the league title.

Big Parade Planned For Keswick Sports Day

Valuable prizes are being offered to entrants in the big parade being planned as part of the Keswick Sports Day on Aug. 23. Prizes will be awarded for the best decorated float, best decorated car, best decorated tri-cycle, best decorated bicycle, best decorated doll carriage and best decorated pet.

Entrants are asked to be on hand at the Memorial Centre at 12:30. Parade begins at 1 p.m.

The parade will form at the Memorial Centre, travel west along the Lakeshore Road to the Radial Road, along it to the highway, and north on the highway through Keswick.

Anyone wishing further information can check with Joel Hopkins, parade convenor, phone Roche's Point 97w.

Aurora Fails To Show

Newmarket Pin-ups were left in the lurch Tuesday when Aurora ladies failed to appear for a scheduled Lake Simcoe junior ladies softball league first round playoff game. The game will likely go on the record sheets as defaulted and that will give the Geo. Watt coached clan the best of five series in three straight.

If the game goes through as a Pin-up win next opposition for Newmarket along the Lake Simcoe junior ladies league playoff trail will be Keswick. The two teams will play a best three out of five series in the semi-finals and the winner will tackle Mount Albert for the league title.

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"SALADA"
TEA & COFFEE**Newmarket Social News**

—Miss Dora Doane spent Sunday in Brampton as guest of Miss Lenora Marshall.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, Anne Marie and Jimmie, St. Catharines; Mr. Robt. Miller and daughter, Louise, Weston; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Miller and son Gary, Leaside; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller, Toronto; were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thorold Miller on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Rook left yesterday morning on a six week visit to England, leaving New York on the Mauretania.

—Miss Gail Wilson spent a few days last week in Richmond Hill with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grainger, and is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donaldson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rose and daughters, Jean, Margaret and Elaine, have returned from a six week motor trip to New Westminster, B.C., where they were guests of Mr. Rose's sister, Mrs. Al White. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gilroy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Middlebrook and Norman Williams, all formerly of Newmarket. On the return trip they visited relatives at Weyburn, Sask., Webbwood and Sudbury.

—Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cryderman were Eldon Kay, of Lorne Park College, Port Credit, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill, Beamsville, and Mrs. Orland Lounsbury, Smithville.

—Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Miller spent a week recently in Kingston visiting Rev. Miller's mother and sister, and his brother and family in Gananoque. While they were away Miss Nellie Broughton, with whom they live, visited friends from Toronto at their cottage at Belle Ewart, Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens and Susan, Detroit, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brooks. Mr. Stephens attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Rachel Stephens.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach and John spent last week with relatives in Chatham.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leo O'Phee of Buffalo, N.Y., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach.

—Mr. Fleming Young recently returned from a seven-week trip to visit his brother, Mr. I. S. Young, and family at Brant, Alta. Mr. Young motored by way of Sault Ste. Marie, Duluth, Grand Forks and Winnipeg as far as Watrous, Sask., with a former schoolmate of his, Mr. W. E. Clark, Watrous. He visited the Manitou lake hot springs, also the Calgary stampede, during the trip and on his return journey visited friends at Watrous and Lestock, Sask. He returned home in time to renew old acquaintances at the Queensville sports day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earby Moore

and Mrs. Joseph E. Moore spent the Civic holiday at the Perrin reunion at Roseville, Ont.

—Weekend guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Lake were Mr. Richard Taylor, Liverpool, England; and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howe and daughters, Allison and Sandra, Toronto.

—Mrs. Wm. Vail, 21 Gorham St., returned last week from Sudbury, where she had spent the past six weeks, during the illness and subsequent death of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Donegan, at Sudbury General hospital on July 30.

—Misses Patricia Duncan and Jacqueline Cain, Toronto, are spending three weeks' vacation at Balm Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Chappelle visited on Sunday with Mrs. Bert McCannan on their return from a week's holiday trip to Bay City and Saginaw, Mich.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Duncan attended the funeral services of Mr. Duncan's brother, James Duncan, at Guelph on Sunday.

—Laurie Flanagan, Omamee, visited for a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Flanagan, Sr.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morton and Lloyd, Thornhill, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gilkes and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gilkes spent a few days last week on a motor trip to Watertown, N.Y., and Gananoque.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Draper and Shirley, Toronto, were guests on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gibbons.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Downward left on Wednesday for a week's motor trip to Bloomfield, New Jersey.

—Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Morton, Woodland Beach, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morton.

—Miss Eleanor Church, Bogartown, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Bert McCannan, for a few days this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Andrews and family visited on Saturday in Peterboro and on Sunday in Dixie, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Clarkson and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Turner and family, Hornby, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Fairbairn and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ion and family are spending three weeks' holidays at their cottage on Black Lake, Haliburton Highlands.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mueller, Toronto, spent a few days this week in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels.

—Miss Vonda Martin and Wayne Martin are spending the week at the home of Mrs. Orval Brilinger, Pine Orchard.

—Mrs. Harry Fee is holidaying this week at Little Current.



Principals in a recent wedding at Mount Albert are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Douglas Travis, Belhaven. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, Mount Albert, and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Travis, Belhaven. Rev. C. P. Shapter performed the ceremony. Photo by Budd.



The wedding took place of Miss Marion Irene Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edward Kelley of King, to Mr. Kenneth Melville White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melville White of Maple, in July at All Saints Anglican Church. Photo by Ashley & Crippen

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Jane Marie McGresley, Newmarket, 12 years old on Friday, Aug. 8.

Geoffrey Allan Meyer, Newmarket, 7 years old on Friday, Aug. 8.

John Byron Luesby, Newmarket, 4 years old on Friday, Aug. 8.

Ann Louise Mathewson, Newmarket, 7 years old on Saturday, Aug. 9.

Harold Smith, Newmarket, 12 years old on Sunday, Aug. 10.

Garry Fairbairn, Newmarket, 5 years old on Sunday, Aug. 10.

Bryan Barry Anderson, Baldwin, 6 years old on Sunday, Aug. 10.

Carol Elizabeth Boothby, Keswick, 11 years old on Monday, Aug. 11.

Terry Atkinson, Newmarket, 5 years old on Tuesday, Aug. 12.

Linda Allan, Newmarket, 3 years old on Tuesday, Aug. 12.

Richard Gordon Ion, Newmarket, 2 years old on Tuesday, Aug. 12.

Mary Louise VanZant, Newmarket, 13 years old on Thursday, Aug. 14.

Robert Allan Whitaker, Keswick, 3 years old on Thursday, Aug. 14.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of the Newmarket Era and Express birthday club.

SHOWER RECENT BRIDE

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. O. Elford on Wednesday, July 30, in honor of Mrs. Lorne Elford (Grace Smith). The bride received many beautiful gifts, after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Allan Cryderman, Mrs. John Hopkins and Mrs. O. Elford.

HOME NURSING COURSE

The Red Cross Home Nursing Course registrations for the course commencing Sept. 1, will close on Saturday, Aug. 16. For further information call 257 or 200, Newmarket.

WALLACE-MAIR

At the Presbyterian church, Newmarket, on July 26, 1932, Jean Mair, daughter of Mrs. E. Mair, Newmarket, became the bride of Mr. Frank Wallace, son of Mrs. Eva Wallace, Toronto.

Rev. C. H. Bowman, Maple, officiated at the ceremony and Mrs. E. Cane was organist. Miss Patricia Dunn, soloist, sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "I'll Walk Beside You."

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Hugh Mair, wore three-quarter length white satin and lace and her headpiece was fashioned of white satin and lace. She carried red roses and white carnations.

Betty Kinack was her sister's matron of honor, wearing three-quarter length mauve and carried a nosegay of mauve and yellow sweet peas and carnations. Viola Patterson was bridesmaid, attired in three-quarter length silver grey and carried a nosegay of yellow sweetpeas and carnations.

Mr. Pat Patterson was groomsmen and Al Daniels, and Archie Mair, ushered.

For the reception held in the Presbyterian Church basement the bride's mother received the guests in navy and white silk with white accessories, and was assisted by the groom's mother, dressed in navy and white silk with white accessories.

For their trip to Northern Ontario the bride choose a navy and white dress with white accessories and a picture hat. The couple will reside in Newmarket on their return.

Visitors from a distance were Archie Mair of Detroit, Mich., a brother of the bride, and Mrs. Howard Williamson, Thessalon, an aunt.

WARRIORS' DAY AT EX.

Saturday, Aug. 23, is Warriors' Day at the Canadian National Exhibition and free admission tickets for all veterans and their families are available through the president of the Newmarket Veterans' Association, Mr. Alf Elphinstone, D'Arcy St.

LADIES' PRAYER GROUP

A meeting of the ladies' prayer group will be held in the Gospel Tabernacle on Thursday, Aug. 21, at 2:30 p.m. The special speaker is Rev. Norman Rowan who will speak on the "saved convict" in the Kingston penitentiary.

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BY GEORGE HASKETT
Newmarket Sports Editor

Ball fever, that annual fall complaint that nobody minds, is reaching epidemic proportions in and around the Hub. Redmen are into their South Simcoe play-downs, senior gals are due for P.W.S.U. action, junior ladies are ready to go at Keswick, town leaguers will likely erupt with playoff fare next week, King and Schomberg have just come through a dramatic series and out yonder, the Simcoe league teams are at it full blast.

And someone has the nerve to ask what we do with our spare time. Dealing with the Redmen situation first. They finished first in the Simcoe loop and are out to make a name for themselves by bopping off Everett. They'll do it too. Then it'll be the winners of Alliston-Beeton sawdown. Everybody's calling Alliston, of course, but you just can't tell about baseball.

"Suppose Newmarket should win the south title, what happens then?" several of our curbstone clients ask. Well, we'll tell you. The south division winners tackle the north sector titleholders for the league crown.

Mixed in with regular activity, if the Redmen can keep winning, will be O.B.A. fare. That's due to kick off Aug. 30. That should give Hack Cain and his charges a busy three weeks. Collingwood or Midland are mentioned as likely first round opposition for the Redmen in the O.B.A. While its a long way off, Stroud Redmen are mentioned as the strong men in the northern section of the South Simcoe. They're cracked up as quite a ball club - hope we have a chance to get at 'em.

Mickey Smith as prey of town league will likely be firing the first salvo about the town league playoffs any day now. Latest info along the main stem has the Sports-Cycle tribe out of the running. Say not so men, say not so. If - and this is a big if - Pine Orchard should be ousted this week from the Simcoe play-downs and the Cyclemen can't field a team, why not let Orchardmen and Cycles combine to make a fourth team in the town league playoffs. It's not such a screwy idea as you may think. Leastwise, it would add color to the town league semis and that's what is needed to make the coffee pot sing.

We were there when it happened. For the first time in his sports career, Peaches VanZant was left speechless Tuesday. The mail man brought him a note to say the senior ladies would start their P.W.S.U. action the following night. It was to be either Bowmanville or Whitby. That wasn't giving the coach very long to prepare.

Happily, a phone call got a week's reprieve. Our senior gals won't start P.W.S.U. until next Wednesday. That was good news as both Terry Reid and Mary Osborne were holidaying. Newcomers to the locals, Grace Webster, Shirley Wilson and Sarah Barradell, have strengthened the local contingent. We may be wrong but we think this is their year to go places in the P.W.S.U.

Were you able to get near the fair grounds Thursday? That was quite a mob. Must have been close to 1,900 Hub and district fans in attendance. Charlie VanZant, chief arranger of the game, and chairman of the Floodlight fund, has asked this paragrapher to pass along the committee's thanks to the fans, Stewart Hare for loudspeaker equipment, Mike-man Jimmy Walker, umpires Joe Tunney and Harry Thoms and gatecmen Ernie Dobble, Jimmy Cullen and Gordon Vokes, and of course the town league players

Sr. Ladies Enter P.W.S.U.

Newmarket ladies were supposed to get their first taste of P.W.S.U. action this week. They were originally scheduled to play Bowmanville here last night and to hit the road to the Lake Ontario town Saturday. That's all off now. A last minute switch in plans has put the series off for a week.

As it stands now, according to latest advice received by Coach Charlie VanZant, Newmarket will play host to Bowmanville at the fair grounds next Wednesday, Aug. 20. Game time is 6 p.m. The return game will be played in Bowmanville, Aug. 23, at 3 p.m. It's a best two out of three series.

In the event a third game is necessary to settle the playoff round, it will be played on the evening of Aug. 23 in Bowmanville.

THIRD GAME NO CONTEST

Willow Beach and Pine Orchard haven't declared a winner in their first round Lake Simcoe play-off. The teams met Wednesday at Willow Beach in the third and deciding game, but only completed five innings and it was ruled no contest. The two evenly matched teams will try again Monday at Willow Beach.

Specialty Sure Of Top

Take it from us or any fan in attendance at the fair grounds on Monday, the Hoffman-Specialty joust was tops for this season. It had to be with Don Glover, the Specialty leftie, fuzzi ball specialist, Bill VanZant, pitching matching two hit ball. It ended in a 2-0 win for the Specialty and assured them of first place in the town loop.

Hoffman swingers were balked at every turn of the Glover magic and super-charged fielding support accorded him by the Specialty inner and outer patrolmen. The Pressmen only put four men aboard. Two of those got on via stroller tickets and Don Gibson and Harold Andrews squirted little bunts in front of the plate that had to be earmarked as base hits.

Those two bunts put Glover's no hitter to sleep. Specialty clubbers were only good for two hits—but made those two produce runs. Don Burch laid good wood on a VanZant pitch in the second. It ricocheted off third sacker Bruce Townsley's shins. By the time the Hoffman infield had run that shot down, Burch was holed up at second from whence he scored on a passed ball and an infield out. That run could have won the game.

Jerry Hugo, Specialty all-star shortstopper, hit one on the nuggin in the sixth for a round tripper to lift the game out of the doubtful column.

who provided the opposition for the visiting "gents".

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HASHMAN AWARD

Harold Smith

All summer long, as the Lake Simcoe Softball League teams fought down to the coveted playoff slots, spotlight has been on the work of Keswick's long ball slugging contingent. Any team that goes through a campaign with only one loss, no matter how good with the stick or outfield, naturally has to have a pitcher of note.

That of course is where Harold Smith, Keswick speed ball flinger, comes into the picture. Last Friday as Keswick stepped into the semi-finals against Mount Albert, Smithy came into his own. He fired a one-hitter to shut down fight on the Mountie hitters.

We've had several two hitters this season but that's the first one hitter we can recall. This week in recognition of his gallant bid for a no-hitter, we're naming Harold Smith for the Hashman award and Roxy Theatre pass. Incidentally, it was Mountie veteran Kelly Case who stopped Smith's no hit dream with a liner into the outfield.

Tension High In Simcoe Race

The Lake Simcoe Softball League has been buzzing with playoff action over the past week. Pine Orchard and Willow Beach are even at a game each in their set. Mount Albert tripped Keswick 9 - 8 Tuesday to square their best of five semi-final.

Queensville whiz kids got the boot from Zephyr. Blues at home topped Queensville 5 - 1 and wrapped up the series 6 - 2 in the shade of the Queensville rink. Ches Lunney's Blues drew on Ron Kester for two and three hit pitching jobs to put across the win. Queensville errors hurt.

Lon Canton, who pitched seven-hit ball in the series opener, bobbled two easy rollers and that kicked the door ajar for three Zephyr runs. Queensville never recovered. Blues widened the gap with single tallies in the third and sixth. Queensville broke the scoring ice and averted a shut-out with a run in the fourth.

Ken Pickering and Don Hewick hammered out two hits apiece to prime the Zephyr attack. Don Hewick ran half way to Cedar Brae to haul down several Queensville shots. Singles by Bob English and Bruce Greig killed Ron Kester's no-hitter dream.

In the Monday fracas, two second base miscues by Cliff Ward got the Blues in the mood for a three-run explosion in the second. That was all they needed to win but they drew the noose tight with two in the fifth and one in the sixth.

Clark Arnold accounted for three Zephyr runs with his booming bat and Ches Lunney and Don Hewick chimed in on the hit not with two each. It wasn't Lon Canton's fault Queensville took a header. He poked out two of three hits harvested off Ron Kester. Bill Burkholder beat out the other Queensville safety.

That brings us around to Keswick and Mount Albert. In the Friday series opener, Harold Smith threw a one hitter and Ken Hodgins, Keswick's king of the swat, bashed a first innings homer with Bob Pollock and Ron Rowe on the base paths to provide Keswick with a 4 - 0 win over Mount Albert.

Harold Smith, a two-way star for the victors blew a third strike past ten Mount batters and Smithy's triple added Keswick's fourth run in the second. Harold Smith had his no-hitter going until Kelly Case bashed a liner into center in the fifth.

King Knocks Out Schomberg

The epic Peel-York Softball League semi-final tussle betwixt King City and Schomberg ended Tuesday. King City tripped Schomberg 8 - 4 to end it on a sad note for Schomberg. The triumph qualified King to meet Nobleton for the loop title.

Tuesday's win gave King City the series two games to one although the two evenly matched sides, fighting tooth and nail, actually made it a best of five series by throwing in two tie games.

King rode into the league finals on the broad shoulders of their pitching ace, Gord Orr, who came through with a well pitched eight-hit game and his mates dug in for four runs in the last three innings to break up a 4 all tie after four gripping frames.

King City unleashed a 16-hit assault on Schomberg's Ken Elison. Charlie Shields and Gord Orr belted three each to lead King City. It was two each for Bob Gillis, Bill Patton, Keith Kyle and John Richards, the latter cashing a round tripper.

Doug Brown, Doug Marchant and Walt Thompson were Schomberg big guns. Thompson kicking in with a home run blast to rate the plaudits of the Schomberg clientele.

Thursday, Schomberg squared the series and forced the Tuesday decider with a 7 - 4 win at King City. Astern 4 - 3 leading into the seventh, Schomberg sprang one of their vaunted last innings rallies for four runs to cop the verdict.

Murray Edwards' two-run double and Doug Brown's r.h.b. single were key blows in Schomberg's game winning effort. Doug Brown belted five and Ken Elison two to halt the King City hit production at six. Charlie Shields paced King with two. Doug Brown furnished three safeties to pace Schomberg.

Now we come to that tension packed tilt at Mount Albert Tuesday, won by Mount 8 - 7. Keswick's pried the lid off with a three-run flurry in the first and spread their lead to 7 - 3 in the fifth. Even the most hardy Mount fans wouldn't have given a plugged nickel on the Mounties' chances of pulling it out of the fire. The Mounties refused to play dead and were back in the ball game with a four-run explosion in the sixth to tie it 7 all. Keswick had one trump left - they played it in the seventh - it was good for a run and an 8 - 7 lead as Eddie Chadwick came in to score on a Mountie bobbie.

Mountie outlook was grim, that is until Claude Pollock, working in relief from the first innings on, hit a wild streak and populated the sacks. Then Horner Rutledge pounded a drive down the middle. Ron Rowe bobbled it and the tying run was home.

When Rowe chucked high to third, winning run in the person of Art Gibney scampered home. Keswick outhit the Mounties 15 - 7. Ron Rowe and Claude Pollock were the kingpins with three each. Bob Badger supported his battery mate, Ken Mitchell, with two hits to spark the Mounties.

Now we turn the page to take a look at the second game in the Willow Beach - Pine Orchard scramble. The Beach, on the spot after losing the first tussle 4 - 0, came back with two six-run frames to gain a 13 - 10 win over Pine Orchard. That Beach victory squared the best of three series at a game each.

Andy Lloyd and Bill Dike, with three hits each, were Pine Orchard hit leaders. Ted Anderson, Don Anderson and Don Trivett came up with solid socking to lead the Willow Beach hitting in support of Cecil McNeill's pitching effort. Ted Tidman was touched freely by the Beachers in their successful bid to square the set.

At the moment, until the Pine Orchard - Willow Beach series is settled, further play-off games aren't known. The winner will likely tramp into Zephyr Monday in their first semi-final games. Keswick and Mount Albert have games carded for Keswick Friday and Tuesday at Mount Albert. In the words of that song "the games are getting better all the time". Better not miss any in the run down to the Stan Cook Trophy.

Midget Baseball Series Tied

Newmarket Little Giants were 8-7 losers at Richmond Hill Tuesday in a North York Midget baseball league round-robin play-off game. That loss was the first suffered by the Little Giants in the series. They needed that win to wrap up the North York title.

They didn't get it and as a result Newmarket, Aurora and Richmond Hill are all deadlocked in the round-robin set. That means more playoff action to unscramble the stalemate.

Tuesday in the Hill, the teams raced down to the wire in a 7-all deadlock. The last of fifth, the Hillmen's last turn at the plate, started innocently enough. Merlyn Bates, pitching efficiently on the Newmarket hill, got the first Hill batter, Lloyd Granger, up next tripped and when Bates attempted a pick-off play, his throw went wild and Granger was home free with the winning run.

Both teams started out as though jet propelled, trading three-run first frames. Newmarket punched over two in the second and two in the third. Hillmen countered with a four-run spurt in the second to make it all even.

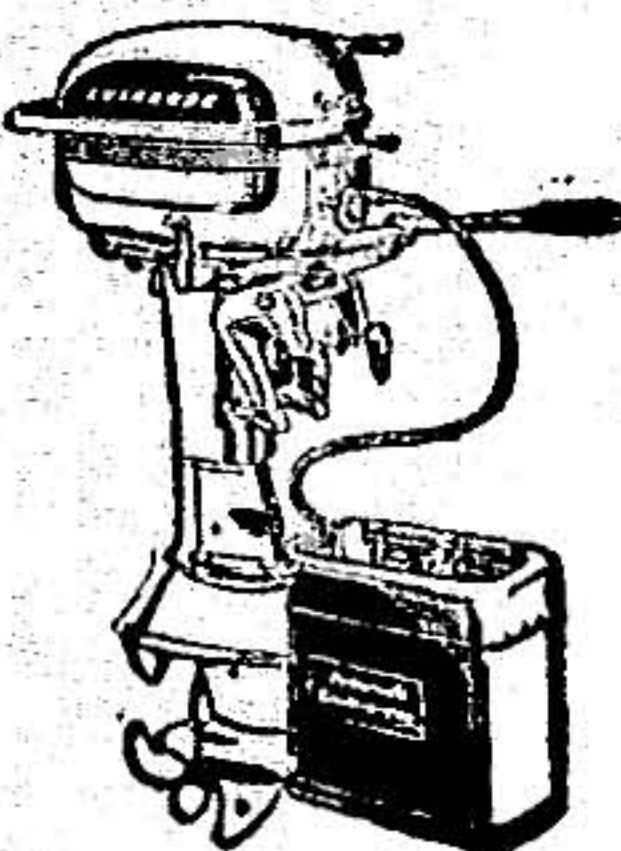
Al Robertson picked up the pitching win with fifth innings help from Red Hart. Paul Widdifield's triple, Bob Broadbent's double and Bob Forhan's two singles featured the Little Giants' hit marks.

Newmarket: N. Smart, G. Davis, R. Corner, P. Widdifield, B. Forhan, D. McKnight, B. Broadbent, G. Morton, F. Benitz, M. Bates.

Richmond Hill: P. Baker, A. Robertson, D. Hart, L. Granger, J. Beirnan, J. Kingston, R. Leuschner, J. Teaberry, W. Berness.

GIANTS, AURORA TIE
Twice Newmarket Little Giants and Aurora Legion have crossed swords in the North York midget baseball league title hunt. They seem to be in a rut. It was a 6-all deadlock here. Wednesday meeting in Aurora they furnished another 6-all tie. Trailing 6-4 in Wednesday's game heading into the bottom of the fifth, Aurora heroes, Bob Morgan and Ron Knowles, bashed out bingles that were good for two runs to tie it.

Little Giants put deuces across the board in the first, second and fourth to take an early edge. Aurora fired a three-run counter blast in the third and a single run in the fourth.

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Strict Parking Regulations Will Need To Be Enforced If Council Removes Meters

Mayor Rose was back at council after his two weeks' vacation with Mrs. Rose in the United States. He was looking rested, tanned and fit. His vivid personality gave a zest to council proceedings, which went along with a swing. Contentious business arose but it was conducted amicably.

The question of the \$225 asked for by fire chief, Harry Jones, as a grant to cover expenses to attend the firemen's convention at St. John's, New Brunswick, provoked considerable discussion. It was never suggested that the sum asked for was unreasonable or unjustified. The arguments centered around the question of whether the town of Aurora was justified in spending that much money for such a purpose.

Reeve Cook led off the discussion by opposing the grant on the grounds that the cost was too heavy for a small town of the size of Aurora. He referred to criticisms that had appeared in the Toronto newspapers in regard to similar expenditures of public money, saying that he agreed that such criticisms were justified.

The reeve's views reflected the opinions of other members of council, with the definite exception of Councillor Davis who supported the grant. When fire chief Jones came to council, following a telephone call to his home, the situation became clarified. In the end council agreed to meet the chief's request, with the exceptions of Councillors Jones and King, both of whom voted against the motion for the grant.

Points of Difference
In the discussion Councillor Davis had a slap at the expense incurred on dog control. No doubt Mr. Davis keeps his own canine pet securely chained up, in accordance with regulations. That is excellent. If, however, Mr. Davis had suffered as much from rampaging dogs as a number of people known to us he would appreciate that money spent on dog control is money well spent.

Councillor Tucker could not refrain from a rather sarcastic reference to criticisms of the planning board \$300 blank cheque for unscheduled expenses which he supported. He took time out at a later stage of the proceedings to praise the Banner's report of a town planning and zoning address recently given to the Rotary club.

Certainly if we had a choice to make between handing over \$300 to the fire brigade or the planning board we would never hesitate in the matter. Even if the local brigade proposed to spend the money on a health tour, with some Canasta thrown in, we'd still hold to our choice, knowing that the firemen would spend the money in a much less controversial or even dangerous manner than the planning board.

Mr. Tucker's praise for the Banner report was strictly consistent. We can easily assume a natural affinity existing between the smaller periodical and Mr. Tucker, especially in regard to town planning and zoning. It could be, however, that Councillor Tucker's apparent liking for zoning might induce the electors to zone him out of council. He will learn that property owners do not like to be zoned!

We sincerely hope the Rotary club was not unconsciously used as a sounding-board for town planning and zoning propaganda, to be later used by the Banner and its cohorts!

The Meter Debate
The time is drawing near, as Councillor Vic Jones pointed out, when council will have to make a decision on whether the meters are to stay in or go out. Mr. Jones has never left anyone in doubt what his own opinion is. He was opposed to them from the start and he seems even more opposed to them now. He said they were driving business away from the town.

Several members of council expressed the view that meters would never have come to Aurora had the street parking regulations been properly carried out. That appears to be the general opinion of the citizens. And what will the position be if the meters are taken out and nothing is done to enforce parking regulations?

ARENA BOARD MEETS
A meeting of the Aurora arena board was held on Monday night, Aug. 11. The meeting took place at the rink and was also attended by the chairman of the town property committee, Councillor Corbett.

The east end of the old building was inspected and it is understood that it was agreed that the repair work needed on it will constitute a major problem. The question of filling in the parking lot in front of the arena was also under discussion, with suggestions made that "fill" would be available when excavation work concerned with the construction of the reservoir gets under way.

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EDITORIALS

MAYOR ROSE'S RECOMMENDATIONS

In the Statement which he issued to the press on July 10, Mayor Rose made some valuable suggestions concerning the future government of the arena through the Arena Board. These suggestions appear to have gotten obscured by the whitewashing activities carried out on behalf of the Board. It is well, therefore, that they should be salvaged from the obscuring smoke-screens.

Dr. Rose suggested (1) "The appointment of a finance committee to handle the finances of the arena." Such a committee should have been operating all the time; but since it was admitted that no entries had been made in the treasurer's books from July, 1951, to February, 1952, such a finance committee is now obviously an imperative necessity.

Mayor Rose suggested (2) "The appointment of an ice or games committee to handle the whole problem of allotment of ice time." (3) "The appointment of a building or maintenance committee to supervise the care of the building." (4) "The appointment of a grounds committee to co-operate with council on the improvement and maintenance of the parking lot."

Mayor Rose added the following comment to the above suggestions: "Failure on the part of the seven-man commission to distribute responsibility under authority to its members by the appointment of standing committees has been one of the greatest of the Arena Board since its inception."

The information we have indicates that Messrs Underhill and Cousins themselves conducted major arena business as a two-man board, without the help of any committees. We suggest that council should ask for the records and minutes of the Board since its inception to enable a report being furnished to the citizens by the Publicity committee of council.

WARNING TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Zoning is in the Aurora air once more. Councillor Ralph Tucker, who is a member of the planning board, informed a recent meeting of council that the zoning by-law would be brought back again at an early date. "Considerable progress," he said, "had been made with it."

A zoning by-law is a dictatorial measure applied to property owners and what use they may or may not put their land to. The Planning Act of 1946 lays it down that "the council may by by-law designate any area within the municipality as an area of subdivision control and thereupon no person shall convey land in the area by way of a deed or transfer on any sale or enter into an agreement of sale and purchase or enter into any agreement that has the effect of granting the use of or right in the land directly or by entitlement to renewal for a period of 21 years or more."

Aurora property owners should take stock of the above quotation from the Planning Act and carefully ponder it. Do they wish their land and property and their rights in it to be controlled "for a period of 21 years or more" by legislation emanating from a planning board which is not elected by popular vote? Once a zoning by-law is passed by council at the request of the property owners of Aurora can do about it.

Over a period of three years we have kept up a fight against the imposition of such totalitarian legislation. It seems that we shall have to renew the fight on behalf of Aurora home-owners. The zoning by-law is coming back to council. We suggest that property owners should contact their local councillors for information on a zoning by-law which Mayor Rose correctly condemned as "wholly impracticable."

READERS WANT OPINIONS

In a recent article in these columns we referred to newspaper cartels and the power they possessed to stifle news. Merchandizing cartels have the power to fix prices and choke out competition and in time eliminate the small merchant. Much the same is true of newspaper cartels, which seek to "fix" opinion and eliminate competition by the buying up of their business rivals.

The last figures we saw showed that there were over 800 weekly newspapers in Canada, the highest per capita of any country in the world. The great majority of these weeklies are privately owned and a considerable number of them are among the best newspapers in Canada.

A newspaper whose owner is principally concerned with the amount of advertising he can secure, and remains uninterested in the affairs of his community, renders only a very restricted service to its readers. It is a fact, however, that the most widely-read newspapers are those with the largest number of advertisers. You must first of all have readers before you can secure advertisers.

It is worth repeating that the better weeklies are those with the liveliest news pages and opinions. More and more interest is being shown by readers in the editorial opinions expressed in their weeklies, if such opinions are mainly concerned with topical community subjects. The local resident is always anxious to have opinions on community matters.

There is, therefore, a moral obligation imposed on the editor of a weekly newspaper to serve the community as a whole, and not to remain the exponent of a few special interests that bring him advertising and job printing. If readers gain faith in their weekly newspaper they will continue to support it. If enough readers support it, so will the advertisers. The proof

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING

Dr. Burwell Charles Recalls Aurora '13 Hockey Winners: Recreation Commission Meet

Old memories of Aurora were revived the other day when Dr. Burwell Charles of Calgary, who is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Charles, and sisters and friends, talked to Aurora News Page on the 1913 champion hockey team. It is five years ago since Dr. Charles was last here.

"Aurora in those days had a wonderful hockey team," said Dr. Charles, "playing in what was known as the Metropolitan hockey league. The members of the league were Aurora, Newmarket, Richmond Hill, Bradford and Sutton."

The president of the home-town club was Dr. Ford Butler, Sr., and the members were Ray Bond, O. (Nate) Birchard, Burwell (Fister) Charles, Allan (Bill) Birchard, Herbert Mitchell, Billy Mannell (coach), John (Skip) Brown, Harry Thayer, Frank (Pete) Macchell, Orley Delahaye and Earl (Rip) Underhill. The mascot of the club was Billy Mannell's small son.

Trophy Lost and Found
So delighted were the citizens of Aurora with their 1913 champion hockey team that subscriptions were raised to present the players with engraved gold watches. The gold watch he received as a member of the winning team Dr. Charles proudly displayed to the representative of Aurora News Page.

To the best of his recollection, Dr. Charles believes that the following citizens, some of whom have died, were the sponsors of the idea of the presentation of gold watches to the successful players: Norman Eade, Harry Teasdale, Dr. Ford Butler, Art Winter, Jeweller, Art Atkinson, blacksmith, and Donny McDonald, blacksmith.

The trophy presented to the victors was fated to a strange history, for after being lost for some years it was discovered in an old barn at Pefferlaw. When found it was in a dilapidated condition, but after a process of rigorous cleaning and polishing its former lustre was restored. Of solid silver, it is two and a half feet in height and stands on a six inch base.

The 1913 trophy of the Metropolitan league, won by the Aurora players, is now safely in the care of Councillor Jim Murray, of the Queen's hotel. Its original donors were the Toronto and York radial railways.

Dr. Burwell Charles has lived in Calgary for a long stretch of 34 years. By long residence and his successful professional practice, he is a loyal Canadian. But his loyalty to his native town remains and he refers to Aurora as a "grand place."

During his two weeks' visit with his mother, Mrs. Charles, he has been around the neighborhood refreshing old memories of days gone by, and meeting old friends and school-mates.

In the 34 years he has lived in Calgary he has witnessed great changes overtake the city. When he first arrived there it had a population of 80,000. Today that figure has been doubled, with the likelihood of still greater expansion to come.

In conversation on Calgary, Dr. Charles would often revert to former associations with Aurora, and where recollection of names failed him he was always unerringly set straight by his mother, whose remarkable memory is well-known to those who wish for information on Aurora's history.

Dr. Charles said he was immensely enjoying his vacation in the old home-town, among his people, and in renewing old associations. He will return to Calgary by plane today, Thursday, Aug. 14.

Recreation Commission
A meeting of the Recreation commission, at which the following members were present, was held on Thursday night, Aug. 7: Don Glass, chairman, J. E. Buchanan, Councillors Corbett and Murray, Rev. G. H. Purchase, W. Allan, J. Offord and secretary-treasurer, W. Harvey Bell.

After the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting, accounts were presented and passed and the treasurer's report submitted, the latter showing a very favorable working balance.

Reports were given from a number of committees and these indicated a great amount of activity in progress. August 21 was scheduled as the closing date for the playgrounds.

Among the correspondence read was a letter from the Maple Leaf stadium stating that an application made by Councillor Murray had been agreed to for the free admission of 60 children to the ball game to take

free passes from the four playgrounds.

Mr. J. E. Buchanan, for the commission, thanked Councillor Murray for the interest he had taken in securing the free passes.

It was resolved to send a letter of appreciation and thanks to the authorities at the Maple Leaf stadium for granting the passes.

A letter of appreciation from the Rev. K. D. Whatmough, on behalf of the ministerial association, was received by the commission for the help given to the Vacation school programs.

Reports
Councillor Murray gave a humorous report on the children's display in the town park. On behalf of the recreation director, P. E. Perryment, Mr. Murray presented a report dealing with the various playgrounds. Rain had prevented the carnival being held at the Macchell's Ave. playground on August 4, but on the following evening the program was most successfully carried out.

A gift of refreshments was generously given by the Spence bakery for the event and the commission resolved to send a letter of thanks to Mrs. Spence.

Reporting for the social committee, Mr. Offord said that the square dance club had an average attendance of 20. Mr. Offord also informed the commission that a committee of two members from the rink, and two members of the commission, had been appointed in connection with the question of free skating time at the arena.

Mr. Buchanan stated that credit must be given to Councillor Murray for securing an instructor for Saturday morning skating at the arena.

The Old Red Barn

Concerning the old barn, which the council had offered to the commission, Councillor Corbett pointed out that something should be done without further delay. After considerable discussion on ways and means of handling the matter, it was resolved to hand it over to Councillor Murray to get estimates for the dismantling of the barn and to report to the finance committee to see if action could be taken before the next meeting of the commission in two weeks' time.

The commission authorized Councillor Corbett to make four more picnic tables; voluntary work on Mr. Corbett's part.

Mr. Buchanan again brought up the matter of better use being made by the commission of the Lions hall, during the periods for which they were renting it.

The chairman suggested that each member of the commission might bring recommendations for consideration at the next meeting.

Handicrafts
The chairman reported that Mr. Ron Maxstead had offered his services for woodworking instruction and this was placed in the hands of the Handicrafts committee.

Wading Pool Project
Mr. Buchanan informed the commission that he had been trying to make arrangements for a meeting with his committee and representatives from the Board of Trade. So far he had not been successful.

The chairman asked if the Board of Trade was showing any signs of co-operation? "They didn't even turn up at a meeting arranged jointly for

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Aurora Social News

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudson last week were Mrs. Hudson's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Payne, their daughter, Mrs. B. M. Hall, and son David, all from Altadena, California. Mrs. Hudson's sister, Peggy, from Toronto, was also of the party.

Mrs. W. G. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudson visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Perkins, Unionville, and later motored to Aspidin, Muskoka, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hudson's daughter and family, afterwards visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mannel at their summer cottage.

The Ladies Auxiliary will hold a bingo in the Legion Hall on Thursday evening, Aug. 14.

Mr. Hugh McIntyre has taken over the Graystones restaurant and the re-opening will be on Aug. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gowan are visiting relatives in Ottawa and Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilson, Spruce St., left on Saturday for a two weeks vacation at Port Carling, Muskoka.

Mr. John West, head salesman for Morrison's Men's Wear, is holidaying at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knowles are holidaying this month at Lanark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emmons and son Barry, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pennock have been on a motoring trip through the eastern United States.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McLeod returned home this week after spending a month's holiday with their daughter and son-in-law in Saskatchewan.

The Misses Lena and Edna Corp of Toronto are visiting Mrs. D. Willis.

Mrs. Walter Douglas of New York was visiting last week with Mrs. Reg. Knowles.

Mr. G. Russell Sinclair has gone to the Kawartha lake district on a vacation and to do some water color sketching.

Mrs. Lorraine Murray of Willowdale was the soloist at the United church on Sunday last. Mrs. B. Willis was at the organ. Mrs. Lambert Wilson will be the soloist on Sunday, Aug. 17, with Mrs. Willis again at the organ.

Mrs. Jane Stokes has been on a visit to her brother, Mr. Verne Lepard, and her sister, Miss Anna Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Knowles and Betty are vacationing in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis have left for a vacation at Lake Restoule and while there they hope to visit Miss Louise McDowell at Kirkland Lake. Mrs. Willis, Sr. now in her 90th year, is on a visit to Lake Restoule.

Mrs. Sprague and Miss Lillian, accompanied by Miss Addie McMillan and Mr. Ross McMillan, motored to Kingston, Gananoque and Lansdowne on Sunday. Mrs. Sprague will remain in Gananoque with her daughter, Mrs. G. A. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harrison are leaving this week for some holidays in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewers (a former principal of the high school in Aurora) and Mr. and Mrs. Dickier of Toronto were guests of Mrs. H. J. Charles this week.

Dr. B. J. Charles of Calgary, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. H. J. Charles, for the past week, left by plane on Thursday.

(Mrs. Roy Fletcher, social editor of Aurora News Page, will be glad to receive local and news items. Please phone 477m)

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING
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Wednesday evening, Aug. 6, replied Mr. Buchanan. The Board of Trade representatives who were to attend the meeting, said Mr. Buchanan, were Messrs. Child, Bowser and McKenzie. He did not know why they had failed to attend the meeting that had been arranged. The commission adjourned its proceedings at 10 p.m.

Lawn Bowling Success
 Congratulations to Charles Fry (skip) and Herb Thompson who represented Aurora at the Beeton Scotch doubles tournament and got three wins in contests numbering 24 rinks. Mr. Fry and Mr. Thompson obtained second place in the tournament and were presented with leather-covered bridge sets.

SNOWBALL
 Miss Jean Smith, R.N., of Midland, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Rogers of Armitage spent a very enjoyable week on a motor trip through Northern Ontario and Quebec.

Mrs. Edna O'Boyle of Stouffville spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morning and family.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery goes to Mr. Norman Tensdale Sr. who has been very ill in Newmarket hospital. Mr. Tensdale came home Saturday. He is still under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Howey of Toronto spent

Aurora Upper School Results

Upper school results for Aurora district high school:

Beaton, F.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C.

Blackburn, L.—Alg. III, Geom. C, Trig. C, Phys. C, Chem. C, Busby, D.—Alg. III, Geom. III.

Carson, K.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. III, Geom. C, Phys. C, Chem. C, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Chapman, M.—Eng. Comp. I, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. I, Lat. Au. II, Lat. Comp. I, Fr. Au. II, Fr. Comp. II.

Davis, P.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. C, Geom. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Easterbrook, O.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. III, Geom. C, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. III.

Harrison, F.—Eng. Comp. III, Eng. Lit. C.

Hodgkinson, J.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, Hist. C, Alg. C, Fr. Au. II, Fr. Comp. III.

Hulme, T.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Geom. C.

Linton, R.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Hist. I, Alg. C, Geom. II, Phys. I, Chem. I, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. III.

Lister, N.—Eng. Comp. III, Eng. Lit. III, Alg. III, Geom. III, Trig. C, Phys. C, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. III.

Liversidge, S.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. I, Hist. I, Geom. II, Trig. II, Phys. III, Chem. II, Fr. Au. I, Fr. Comp. I.

McCachen, W.—Eng. Comp. III, Eng. Lit. III, Alg. C, Geom. III, Trig. C, Chem. C.

Marshall, R.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, Geom. III, Trig. C.

Lat. Au. C, Lat. Comp. II, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. II.

Marston, C.—Eng. Comp. III, Eng. Lit. III, Alg. I, Geom. I, Trig. III, Phys. II, Chem. II, Fr. Au. II, Fr. Comp. III.

Monkman, M.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. I, Alg. I, Geom. I, Trig. II, Phys. I, Chem. C, Fr. Au. II, Fr. Comp. II.

Patterson, R.—Hist. C.

Robson, R.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. I, Hist. II, Alg. C, Geom. II, Lat. Au. III, Lat. Comp. II, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. II.

Rose, M.—Eng. Comp. III, Eng. Lit. III, Alg. C, Geom. C, Phys. C, Fr. Au. C.

Sacre, P.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. II, Geom. II, Trig. C, Phys. II, Chem. I, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Scott, B.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, Alg. II, Geom. II, Trig. III, Phys. III, Chem. II, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. II.

Stoily, D.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. I, Hist. II, Alg. I, Geom. III, Lat. Au. II, Lat. Comp. III, Fr. Au. II, Fr. Comp. II.

Stone, G.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, Hist. II, Geom. II, Trig. C, Lat. Au. III, Lat. Comp. III, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. III.

van Nostrand, P.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. C, Alg. I, Geom. II, Trig. II, Phys. I, Chem. II, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. III.

van Nostrand, R.—Eng. Comp. II, Eng. Lit. III, Trig. C, Phys. II, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Wells, H.—Eng. Comp. C, Eng. Lit. III, Hist. III, Alg. C, Geom. C, Lat. Comp. C, Fr. Au. C, Fr. Comp. C.

Plans For New School In Kettleby Area OK'd

Preliminary plans of the new Kettleby school in Area No. 1, King township, have been approved by the department of education. The building will be situated east of the cloverleaf on the Barrie highway and immediately north of the Schomberg-Aurora highway on about 15 acres of land. The area includes school sections 6, 9, 11 and 12 and is the first formed in the municipality.

The architect's final plans will be completed within a month or so, to be presented for final approval by the department. S.S. 11, (at Kettleby) is responsible to the department for the construction of the building. Carman Tilson is chairman of the building committee, comprising representatives of the four boards and Harry Burns is secretary. It is expected construction of the one-storey school will be started early in the fall.

In the meantime, the boards are faced with the problem of finding accommodation for the children in the rapidly growing district. Enrolment of school age children will be made before September 2. The schools are all overflowing, with the exception of S.S. 9, Glenville, which could accommodate some of them, said Mr. Burns. It will no doubt be necessary to provide bus transportation. Kettleby one-room school will have an enrolment of 55 pupils this fall, he explained. About 23 children of S.S. 12 have been attending the Marsh school. "As things look now, it would seem five main classrooms in the new school will be filled when the building is ready," Mr. Burns stated.

An area school board will be formed in December.

Vandorf News

Wesley United Church Women's association meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Carr last Wednesday with a good attendance. It was decided to hold a Home Baking sale on Saturday, Aug. 16, on the church grounds at 10 a.m.

The devotion period and topic was in the charge of Mrs. B. Brown who gave a splendid paper on "The Power of Influence".

several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mitchell and family.

Mrs. Frank Hollingshead spent the weekend at Cedar Nook, Severn River, guests of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allan.

Misses Lois, Karen and Master Dale Farren spent a few days with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Graham, Aurora.

Misses Eleanor and Lois White, Mr. Russell Somerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Judges.

Misses Susan and Barbara Blum are spending two weeks holidays with friends in New York and are planning to fly home.

TEMPERANCEVILLE
 On Wednesday, Aug. 20, (please note the change in day and date) the W.A. and W.M.S. will meet in the evening at 8:30 at the home of Mrs. Fred Boys. The topic will be taken by the W.M.S. A handkerchief shower for the bazaar is the roll call. Lunch committee is Mrs. Herbert Howell and Mrs. M. E. McClure. It is hoped all members will make an effort to attend this evening meeting.

Mr. Chas. F. W. Burns of Temperanceville flow from Nova Scotia to attend the funeral of Mr. George McCullagh, publisher of the Globe and Mail and the Evening Telegram.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lloyd and family, Delhi, are visiting relatives in this vicinity during their two week holiday period.

Sgt. and Mrs. Herbert Howell are spending a week of holidays with their daughter, Jean, in Owen Sound.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Paxton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and Mrs. E. Stobbs of Toronto.

Mrs. Harold Dewsbury read the Scripture and Mrs. Bert Dike led in prayer. Special music was provided by a ladies' quartette known as the Atkinson Sisters. Mrs. Roy Morley, Mrs. Herbert Grimshaw, Mrs. Percy Allen, and Mrs. William Powell, piano duet by Miss Lela Reynolds and Mrs. Grimshaw; solo by Miss Betty Richardson and duet by Misses Martha Pogue and Ruth White.

Mrs. Bert Dike, who is moving to Queensville and will be greatly missed in this community, was presented with a beautiful lamp by Mrs. R. Carr and the farewell address was read by Mrs. H. Oliver. Meeting closed with the benediction and a lovely lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. Scott and Mrs. G. Hoshol.

Mrs. Maude Rolfe, Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan last week.

Mrs. Maude Rolfe, Toronto, Miss L. Carroll and Mrs. Sullivan spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. Wright and her sister, Miss J. Lillie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cann of Toronto were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Aylett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and family of LaSalle, N.Y., visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sleeth and family.

Mr. S. D. White of Willowdale and brother of Mr. H. A. White, has purchased the farm belonging to Mrs. Eldon Bolender of Bethesda. They will have possession at the end of August.

Mrs. Clayton Pogue entertained a group of children last Saturday in honor of her daughter Martha Ann's birthday.

Mrs. Frank Dixon and baby daughter Ada of St. Catharines are spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Starr and family.

Mrs. H. A. White and Ruth, Mrs. S. D. White, Janie and Judy, and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie had supper on Monday with Mrs. J. Lovett of Markham.

The Vandorf branch of the Women's Institute meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Rolfe Scott on Wednesday, Aug. 20. The program is in the charge of the convener of home economics and there will be a special speaker, Miss Mary Bowman of Aurora, who will speak on the United Nations.

POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. Thomas Blackburn was given a surprise birthday party Sunday, Aug. 10, when he was 70 years old. On the same day, his grandson, Laverne Blackburn, celebrated his 25th birthday, so the occasion was a double affair, attended by all the family, and grandchildren. Mr. Blackburn retired from successful farming near Kettleby several years ago to settle at Pottageville with his wife. He was very active in agriculture and plowmen's circles and was a director of Schomberg Agricultural Society. He has good health and is active about his home and garden.

David Sharon Paton, children of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Paton, motored from Burk's Falls during the weekend with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Copeland of Willowdale. The children spent three weeks with their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hewitt.

Pottageville Ratepayers' Ass'n. held a very successful picnic in Weedon's Recreation Field last Saturday, Aug. 8. Nearly 100 attended, partaking of a full-sized outdoor supper. Draw prizes were won by the following: Fred Foley, dressed rooster; Barbara West, pair pillow cases; Fred Rice, a pair of towels.

The Association hopes to have a corn and Weiner roast in the location in the near future.

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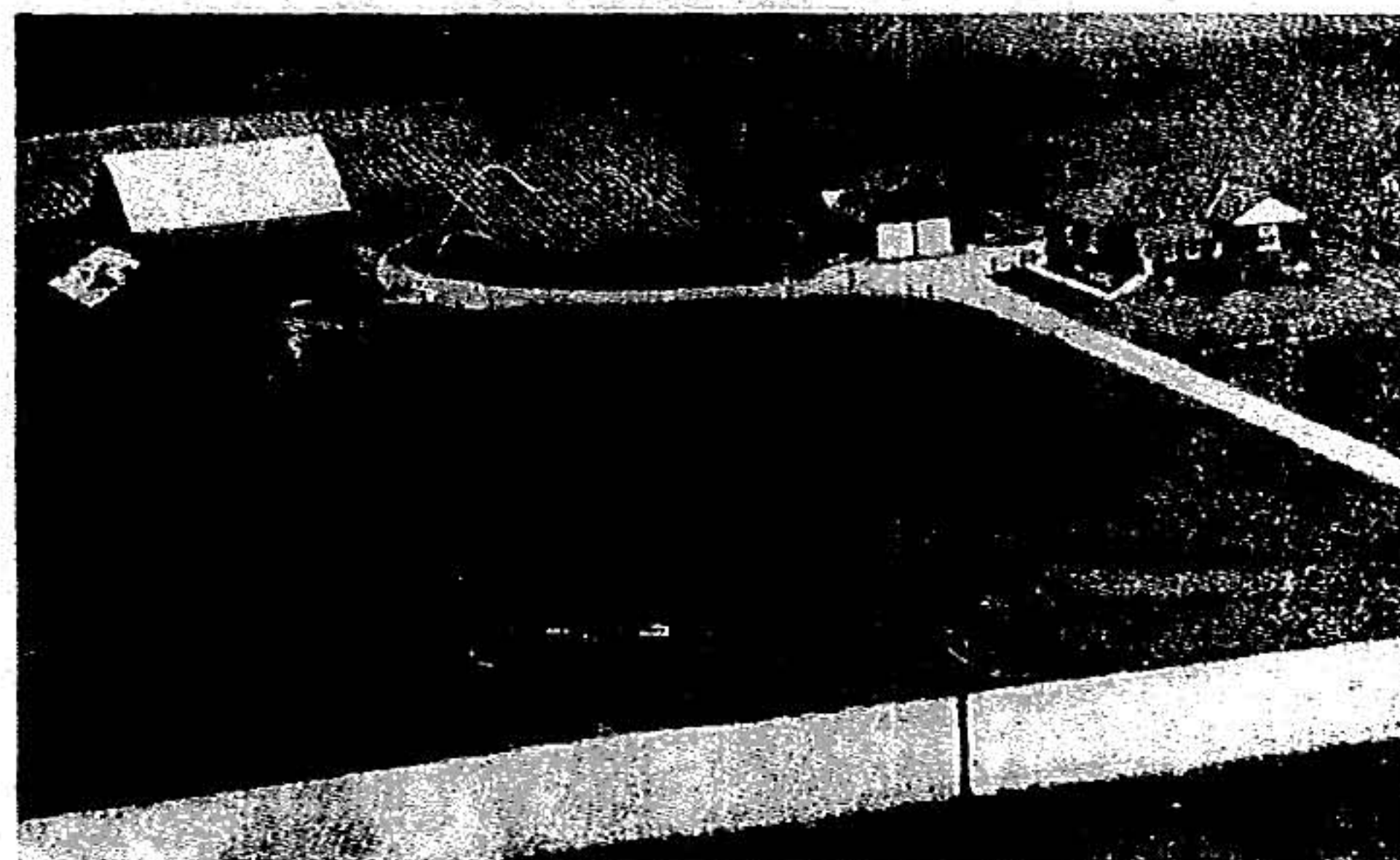
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King City And District

Gordon Ward Cockerill, 43, 3rd line, King township, suffered a heart attack while driving his car to Maple last Thursday morning, just north of the village. His car was said to be proceeding south very slowly and took to the ditch.

Mr. Wm. Ingram was the first to arrive at the scene. He found Mr. Cockerill crumpled on the floor of the car, with life almost extinct. The victim was dead upon arrival of police and coroner, Dr. Dales of Newmarket.

Mr. Cockerill had driven to King City for a hair cut and finding the barber shop closed was proceeding to Maple for the same reason, his wife believed. He was to have consulted a heart specialist in Toronto that afternoon. Police said the victim had sustained no injuries in the accident.

The funeral service was held from Wright and Taylor funeral home on Saturday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. M. R. Jenkinson and Rev. W. E. Smalley of King. Interment was in Maple cemetery. Pallbearers were neighbors, Francis Powell, Britton Riddell, James Reid, Ivan Yorgensen, Herbert Nightingale and Jack Downey of Maple.

Mr. Cockerill is survived by his wife, the former Beatrice McMahon of Maple, and seven children, Mrs. June Luckese of Port Credit, James, Margery, Gordon, Leonard, Kathleen and John, 4 years of age, all at home. Four sisters also survive.

Mr. Cockerill was born and raised at Stouffville, his parents having both passed away three years ago. The family came from Long Branch to work for Britton Riddell on his farm on the 3rd line, north of King and Vaughan townline. When he sold out to Mr. Alfred Lanning of Toronto two years ago, Mr. Cockerill was retained as farm manager. He was afflicted with a rheumatic heart and was far from well.

Seizure Fatal

Oscar J. Bertrand, 66, a farmer at King Ridges, passed away suddenly at his home shortly after midnight. He had not been in good health for the past year and a half and had only been able to do light work. The funeral service was held in Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church on Saturday morning, Aug. 9, with Rev. Francis McGee officiating at the mass. Mr. Bertrand was held in very high esteem and his passing is a loss to the community.

The pallbearers were his step sons, Andrew and L. J. McCormick, Fred Conron, Patrick McGeehan, Harry McGeehan and Ed. Sullivan. Interment was in Sacred Heart cemetery.

Mr. Bertrand was born in Quebec province and at an early age went with his parents to Mattawa. When quite young he commenced work with the C.N.R. at Sudbury and was trainman on the Sudbury-Toronto line for 30 years. He retired from this employment to engage in mining, moving to Toronto about 1928. He was a veteran of the first World War and had lived in King township for 14 years, settling on the J. J. McCabe place on the fifth, opposite the old McCabe homestead. He married Rose Slavin McCormick but there were no children from this union.

Besides his wife, Mr. Bertrand is survived by two brothers, Wilfred and Jordon of Sudbury, four sisters, Mrs. Cordelia Girard and Mrs. Yvonne Mack, Montreal, Mrs. Theodora Levert and Miss Marie Bertrand of Haliburton. There are seven stepchildren, Andrew, Larry, John and Ida of King Ridges, Mrs. John Gauthier of Larder Lake, Mrs. Emily Conron of Newtonbrook, Mrs. Patrick McGeehan, Willowdale.

The late Mr. Bertrand's brothers came from Sudbury for the funeral.

Seriously Injured

Mr. Walter Kightley, 78, was seriously injured in a traffic accident at Toronto on Civic Monday evening. The car, driven by his son-in-law, Harry Mitchell, was in collision with another car which hit the right side of the Mitchell car, the force of the impact causing injuries to Mr. Kightley, a passenger in the front seat. He was removed to Toronto East General Hospital.

A bone in his neck was fractured, and he suffered a cut to his eye and facial bruises, as well as severe shock. Mrs. Mitchell had bruises to her legs and a friend whom they were taking back to East York had bruises to her arm. Mr. Mitchell was not hurt. Mr. Kightley's condition has remained about the same, although Rev. Mitchell who visited him last Saturday afternoon said he was able to carry on conversation. Mr. Kightley's friends wish him speedy recovery.

Resident Physician at King City

When Dr. William G. Grant opens his temporary consulting office in the home of Miss Jessie Gellatly in the near future, he will be the first resident physician in King City since May, 1941. Dr. Grant will establish his permanent office in the new post office building which will be built by Mrs. W. F. McDonald.

He is well known in the community since he and his wife settled in Mrs. Martha Winter's house in December, 1951. Born at Guelph, Dr. Grant comes from Ridgeway where he attended high school. He graduated from the University of Toronto in 1950 and for the past two years has interned at Toronto General and Sunnybrook hospitals, specializing in internal medicine.

He entered university in 1942, later enlisting for military service in the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry. He was in Belgium, Holland and Germany. He attended Khaki College at Watford, England, for a term which prepared him to re-enter Toronto University in the fall of 1946.

Dr. and Mrs. Grant have been married two years. She was a Toronto girl and a nurse. A rural practice appeals to the young doctor. Both he and his wife find village associations pleasant. Before long he hopes to become more widely acquainted with people of the district, and is anxious to establish his profession.

Golfing and music are hobbies of the Grants. They have a well stocked record library.

Home from Hospital

Little Judy Wells, injured by a truck at Cresswell on August 4, was allowed to leave Lindsay hospital the following Wednesday and go to the home of Mrs. Wm. Orvis at Cresswell, where she was cared for by her mother, Mrs. June Wells of King City. X-rays showed that Judy, nearly four years of age, had suffered no fractures. Her injuries were bruises to her cheek, a cut lip, a deep gash in her knee and a bruised arm. With her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cambden, and Mrs. Wells, Judy was taken to a cottage at Port Bolster this week where the family are enjoying relaxation after the nervous strain caused by the unfortunate accident.

King Sideroad Vastly Improved

About six miles of King sideroad west from Yonge St. to the Barrie highway have been resurfaced with tar and stone by Bruce's Paving Co., after it was patched twice by Toronto and York Roads. From Snowball west to the Barrie highway similar improvements have been made. Damage to roadways was mainly caused during the period of stone and gravel haulage and heavy machinery traffic while the super highway was in construction.

Volume of Traffic Tabulated

C.N.R. section foreman, Bill Willoughby, and his helpers, Jim Davidson, and Dave Flewellyn, have taken a count of the volume of traffic on the third concession line at the railway station. During a period of 48 hours they counted 453 cars, 177 trucks and five pedestrians remained at the scene in 8-hour shifts. The purpose of the tabulation is to determine whether the crossing is a hazard.

Herb's Birthplace

Mr. Argue Parkhill of Dunville was a visitor of his cousin, Miss Maud Crossley, for a few days recently. His mother was Jane Crossley, daughter of Nathaniel Crossley, and sister of the late J. W. Crossley, the father of Miss Maud Crossley.

Mr. Parkhill says he was born in a log house which stood opposite the United church, but remembers nothing of the place which has disappeared these long years. However he does remember the house where his mother was born, now the McCarthy house. He was surprised to see that it had been moved to a new site on what was the Crossley farm. The Parkhills lived in Mulmur township, Dufferin county, and in the centennial booklet of 1951, describing the history of that municipality, mention is made of his father and "Jane Crossley of King".

Although 83 years of age, Mr. Parkhill is remarkably energetic and humorous. He was on his way from King City to visit friends in Northern Ontario, where he had been a pioneer. He is familiar with every inch of the north and has travelled by canoe over 12,000 miles of its waterways. While he was in the village, he and Miss Crossley

visited Old Homestead.

Mrs. William Perkins of Ottawa is paying a visit to the Gilliam families. As Annie Gilliam, she is the sister of the late Alfred Gilliam, father of Henry, Alfred, and Mrs. J. Gould. She travels alone though she is 82 years of age. She has spent a few days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alfred Gilliam Sr. at the home of Mrs. Gould, and visited at the home of her nephew Alfred at Strathroy.

The old homestead, occupied by Henry Gilliam, 5th line, is of special interest to the visitor. She searched out every nook and corner of the old dwelling, where she was born, even to the barns. She is very active and has enjoyed every minute of her stay among her family. Her son Ernest lives at Ottawa and she had a married daughter, Dorothy.

Mrs. Joe McGrath was in St. Joseph's hospital for several days last week, returning home on Friday.

Lyn and Lee Scott, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. Scott, have been planning all week for their sixth birthday party today, August 14. It is their first party and also the birthday of their little sister, Susan, a year old today. The twins are not very much interested in "how old" they are. Their big concern is the party and all the trimmings.

The first barbecue to be found in the village is on the lawn of Mr. M. H. Bell, and was built last week by Mr. Albert Kelley. It is a dandy, made of bricks, with an excellent fire box and chimney draughts. Sheila Bell, 5, was the first in the family to round up her playmates for a corn roast on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and young child of Port Arthur have purchased the Gillies new house on Williams St. Mr. Smith is district accountant with the Provincial Department of Lands and Forests at Maple.

By pulling down the front veranda, Mr. Len Robb has revealed the beautiful old door with its side and upper colored glass panes at his house. The house was built over 85 years ago and the design is more easily appreciated without the large front and side verandas, which obscured the outside appearance. A fresh coat of paint and black trim on the ornations at the roof and gable emphasizes their quaintness.

Another improvement seen in the village is the stucco finish Wesley Kee had applied to his brick house. He has also pulled down the long front veranda and is building a shorter but wider porch. Mr. Kee has made vast improvements to the interior of his home. It was built several years ago by the late Harry Highland.

Mr. Jack Thompson has removed an old landmark on the Tinline property, Keele St., by taking down the open driving shed and chicken house. He is using the barn proper as a garage and building a wide entrance door.

Staying with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison for the summer at their 4th line home is Douglas Carillon, 14, of Toronto. Dennis Guthrie, their ward, is having a month's holiday at Earlscourt Children's Camp near Bobcove.

Ronald Parker is a softball fan. He has a mitt and bat and is an enthusiastic player on the local midget team, sponsored by K.C. Lions club. On Saturday last, he and his sister Carolyn were taken to Maple Leaf stadium to see the Leaf-Baltimore game. Ronald won a nickel from his grandmother on the game.

Miss Alice Ferguson has an invitation to attend the wedding of her grand-niece at Hillsburg on Saturday, Aug. 16. The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nodwell (Lillian Ferguson).

Mrs. Archie Campbell, Mrs.

Builds House Of Granite

A house being built by Mr. Robert Bisset on King St. west (King sideroad) is unique because of its all-granite block front, something rarely seen in Ontario but common in the Maritimes and Scotland.

Twenty tons of monumental granite, rock finish, are used for the face of the dwelling. Every piece of the ten kinds of stone has been cut by hand on the premises. They are left-overs from a Toronto wholesale monument plant, where Mr. Bisset is a cutter.

Mr. Bisset had several reasons for using this type of material. He has a thorough knowledge of granite and like everyone who is familiar with it, he admires its natural beauty. As a cutter, he sees the quarried stone turned from rock to hewn and polished finish. Another reason for his choice is that the granite was a gift from his aunt who owns the monument plant. Worth over \$2,000, the stone has cost him nothing. And lastly, he has had the help of experienced stone cutters who have given free labor. They are Jack Freely, James McLeod, and Jack McQueen. McLeod did the setting.

Much to Mr. Bisset's surprise, he recognized the different stones. There are the grey's in Standard granite from the Bebe Plains of Quebec; Georgia from the state of Georgia and Barrie from Vermont. In the reddish tones are Beers, Ross and the rich Scotch Balmoral. There is also a dark blue granite from the

healed with mother-of-pearl tone. There is also Canadian and Swedish Black.

The window sills, of Canadian black, will be polished to a high finish. The 7-foot porch floor and hand cut steps will be Standard granite.

The blocks are set to plan, following a course in 8, 4 and 2-inch lengths. They will be painted white. When the building is completed the granite will be thoroughly washed with a solution of water and soda. It will glisten on a sunny day and as the dwelling has a southern exposure, the appearance should be unusually attractive. Mr. Bisset has an antique "monkey lamp" which he will install as a porch light.

It was co-incidental that Mr. Bisset decided to build his house not far from King City cemetery where the same kinds of granite can be seen in monuments.

When asked why he chose this district for his home, Mr. Bisset replied that he has long admired the rolling hills of King township. His site in Kingsview subdivision gives a very fine view. The house which has four rooms and a bath and a good basement will accommodate Mr. Bisset, his wife and son Robert, 21 years of age. "I wanted a little home in the country, where there is neighborliness and open spaces, and I think I have my desire," said the Toronto man. As yet, a name has not been selected for the home which is the subject of

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King Village Council

The village of King City is not in a position to pay the cost of a partition constable. This was the opinion of trustees, Crawford Wells, W. J. Carson and D. M. Findlay, at a meeting of the board on Monday evening, Aug. 11.

The decision was reached when it was learned that "council has made no township estimate for payment of another constable for this year (ending 1952) therefore they do not feel that they can appoint a partition constable for the village."

Keenly disappointed with the communication from council, a two-part resolution was unanimously approved by the trustees, that "the township is not providing sufficient police protection for the village, and that better protection be provided."

The question of more adequate police protection was brought before council in January and again in the spring and May 6 when village trustees met with council at a special meeting. "On the third approach to council, we were asked to name a man who could fill the job," said a trustee. "We have, and this is the answer we get!"

If the trustees wish to assume the responsibility and appoint a constable for the police village only, they are privileged to forward a resolution to council to that effect.

The township has two constables, one at Nobleton and one at Schomberg. "We never see either of them unless we send for them," said C. G. Wells.

Rescind Motion

Village trustees unanimously agreed to rescind a motion passed in May to hook up the village waterworks mains to the first street in Heritage Park subdivision, owned by Mrs. M. Jackson and her brother, Jack Hambly. The resolution took effect on Monday, Aug. 11, after discussions with Mr. Hambly and his solicitor. However, at the request of Mr. Hambly, trustees agreed to be interviewed by engineer Redfern, with regard to his views, and consultations with the subdividers.

Trustees said the cost of installing a six-inch main, west 215 feet from Keele St. will now be considered a village expense.

Insurance Rates Quoted

Insurance rate of public liability and property damage re King City waterworks system was estimated to cost the village \$91.50 annually, Mr. B. A. Upjohn, informed village trustees from a table of estimates covering the water tank, pump house and equipment and hydrants, including fire equipment trailer, insurance.

The information was informally accepted by the village board, to await detailed written quotations.

Aubrey Campbell, Mrs. Roy Hollinshead and Mrs. Austin Rumble, were afternoon tea visitors of Miss B. Burrows, 6th line, on Tuesday of last week, in preparation for the W.I. picnic meeting held at Miss Burrows this week.

Mr. Jas. Robb, 95

Recently Mr. James Robb, Vaughan township, visited at the home of his nephew, Len Robb of King City. On Aug. 3, Mr. Robb celebrated his 95th birthday at a gathering of his family. He was born on the 7th con., King township. He has been a farmer, a sportsman, horse lover, and musician, and he still keeps up these interests to some degree. He expects to attend some of the horse shows this fall. Mr. Robb has good

K.C.A. Prepares Drive

Discussions by King Community Association on preliminary steps of the financial campaign for a proposed community hall have been encouraging. The group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry on Aug. 4, naming Mrs. Ivan Specht, the association chairman, D. M. Findlay M. H. Bell, E. B. Phair, and James Henry as a campaign committee.

A three-dimension model of a hall is on display in the window of King City Bakery. It was made by George Harvey who drew up the suggested plan. The model represents the K.C.A. conception of how the hall will look when completed. As Mr. Harvey pointed out at a public meeting in July, "there is nothing binding to his plan," and it could be altered. The plan calls for an auditorium and stage, a small committee room, a library, a kitchen, two washrooms, and a small foyer. There is a room for heating equipment and storage space.

It is evident that widespread interest is centred on the project.

The fact that Lake Marie and King Athletic Association (which is represented in the K.C.A. by its president and vice president) has agreed to donate the hall site in its Memorial Park in King City gives the K.C.A. an excellent start toward the project.

Admittedly, building costs and equipment are presently high. But neither are costs likely to decrease as time goes on so the K.C.A. is anxious to start the project.

The executive of the K.C.A. has considered several plans, has sought the advice of experienced persons and talked with local builders who are keenly interested. It has visited several halls to learn how they are designed and managed afterward; it has explored the usefulness of these halls as compared with the needs of the local community. In short, a lot of "ground work has been covered", and with one purpose in view, to get the most, on an economical basis for King City and all the surrounding community.

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